

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2016

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Madam Speaker Harwell.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor John Hunn, Immanuel Baptist Church, Lebanon, TN.

Representative Pody led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present..... 93

Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Daniel, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Jenkins, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, White D., White M., Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 93

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Todd; illness

Representative Shepard

Representative Ramsey; illness

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Rep. DeBerry was recorded as being present in the Chamber.

COMMUNICATION
January 21, 2016

Lauren Parrish Nash
2184 Webb Road
Cottage Grove, TN 38224

Re: State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission

Dear Ms. Nash:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, §49-6-2201(b)(1)(D), I am reappointing you to serve as the K-3 teacher member representing West Tennessee on the State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. For purpose of term calculation, your new term will expire on December 31, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner Candice McQueen. Commissioner McQueen's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Ron Ramsey
Commissioner Candice McQueen
Cody York, 8th Floor, Snodgrass Tower
Don R. Johnson, G-7 State Capitol Bldg.
Scott Gilmer
Connie Ridley
Karen Garrett
Doug Himes
Tammy Letzler

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Resolution No. 136 Rep. Gilmore as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 498 Rep. Doss as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 513 Rep. Matlock as prime sponsor.

SPONSOR EXCLUSION

Pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form, when a motion is made to add all members voting in the affirmative as co-prime sponsors to any bill or resolution on the House floor, the following member request that their name not be added without their own signature, and that this is effective until the adjournment of the 2016 annual session of the 109th General Assembly: Rep: Womick.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion, pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolution listed was introduced and referred to the appropriate Committee:

***House Resolution No. 139** -- Memorials, Congress - Urges Congress to revise law and policy regarding the carrying of firearms by military service members on military installations. by *DeBerry.

House Civil Justice Committee

***House Joint Resolution No. 512** -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Expresses support for efforts to bring the 2016 4th Annual Rhythm & Blues Hall of Fame induction ceremony to Memphis. by *Cooper, *Parkinson, *Akbari, *Holt, *Coley, *Love, *Lollar, *DeBerry, *Miller.

House State Government Committee

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for January 25, 2016:

House Joint Resolution No. 532 -- Memorials, Retirement - J.W. Warren. by *Fitzhugh.

House Joint Resolution No. 533 -- Memorials, Death - Vicky McAlpin Tubb. by *Fitzhugh.

House Joint Resolution No. 534 -- Memorials, Death - Deborah Ann Bernardini. by *Fitzhugh.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Rep. McCormick moved that House Bills Nos. 1883-2070 be introduced and passed on first consideration, and that **Rule No. 44(b)** be suspended so that all remaining bills filed up to the close of business today be properly filed and introduced today:

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***House Bill No. 1883** -- Personal Property - As introduced, increases from 180 days to 240 days the minimum time required before a dry cleaner or launderer may dispose of unclaimed garments. - Amends TCA Title 66. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 1884** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires THEC and the governing bodies of higher education systems and institutions to include hierarchical organizational charts in the budget documents presented to the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and house. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 12 and Title 49. by *Daniel.

House Bill No. 1885 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, allows a court to enhance a defendant's criminal sentence if the defendant was illegally present in the United States during the commission of the felony. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 35. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 1886** -- Revenue, Dept. of - As introduced, requires commissioner to report to the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and house by January 31, 2017, the number of taxpayers that submitted documents in paper form to the department in lieu of submitting documents electronically during tax year 2016. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 67. by *Johnson.

House Bill No. 1887 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, clarifies, in a manner consistent with federal law, that "antique firearm" is not included in the definition of "firearm" under state law; defines "antique firearm" consistent with federal law. - Amends TCA Title 36; Title 37; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 70. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 1888** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, creates the "Emergency Medical Services Personnel Licensure Compact." - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 68, Chapter 140. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 1889** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, clarifies and amends various provisions regarding juvenile cases heard by magistrates; extends from five days to 10 days the period within which an appeal of the magistrate's order must be filed. - Amends TCA Section 36-1-102 and Section 37-1-107. by *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 1890** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, amends the juvenile court procedure to issue a summons in a proceeding. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. by *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 1891** -- DUI Offenses - As introduced, prohibits a person who has been convicted of a fourth or subsequent violation of driving under the influence from driving within the state, including prohibiting the issuance of a restricted driver license to such a person. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 1892** -- Water Pollution - As introduced, requires that general permits issued under the Water Quality Control Act be no more restrictive than federal requirements for management storm water post construction; requires that provisions of certain general permits be promulgated in rule form prior to implementation. - Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1. by *Halford.

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***House Bill No. 1893** -- Accountants - As introduced, makes various changes concerning accountants; removes requirement that executive director of the state board be a CPA; clarifies eligibility for the CPA exam; changes aspects of the peer review program. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 1. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 1894** -- Estates - As introduced, increases the maximum amount of a life insurance policy from \$7,500 to \$15,000 in order that a photocopy of a certificate of death, along with certain statements, may constitute proof of death; authorizes certain financial institutions and associations to pay out all accounts of certain deceased, and checks payable to certain deceased, to certain creditors, relatives, and representatives as long as the sums do not exceed \$15,000 in the aggregate. - Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 56. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 1895** -- General Assembly - As introduced, reestablishes the select oversight committee on TennCare. - Amends TCA Title 3. by *Favors, *Shepard.

***House Bill No. 1896** -- Election Laws - As introduced, allows a person 65 years of age or older, who has never been issued a birth certificate, to be issued a photo identification license for voting purposes by furnishing a social security card, Medicare card, health insurance card, or other satisfactory document substantiating the person's identity. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 3. by *Favors.

***House Bill No. 1897** -- Veterans - As introduced, allows employees authorized by the Tennessee state veterans' homes board to solicit donations for the improvement of existing homes or for future construction of new homes. - Amends TCA Section 58-7-103. by *Johnson.

***House Bill No. 1898** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires public institutions of higher education to notify students facing disciplinary hearings of their right to counsel at least 48 hours before the hearing; allows students to view the evidence to be presented in support of the proposed disciplinary actions at least 48 hours before the hearing. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Lollar.

***House Bill No. 1899** -- Taxes, Excise - As introduced, extends for an additional six years to July 1, 2022, the temporary tax on bottles of soft drinks and barrels of beer to fund programs for the prevention and collection of litter. - Amends TCA Section 57-5-201 and Section 67-4-402. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 1900** -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, increases cash supplement for police officer in-service training from \$600 to \$1,000. - Amends TCA Section 38-8-111. by *Windle, *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 1901** -- Vital Records - As introduced, prohibits the department of health from charging or collecting a fee for the production of a second or subsequent copy of a birth certificate or death certificate that exceeds the actual cost to the department of producing the copy. - Amends TCA Section 68-3-207. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 1902** -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, permits certain state employees that have creditable service in the optional retirement program and are currently enrolled in the TCRS, to transfer creditable service from the optional retirement program on a one-time basis. - Amends TCA Title 8. by *Windle.

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***House Bill No. 1903** -- Courts - As introduced, requires all pleadings and records filed in a termination of parental rights case in chancery or circuit court to be placed under seal and not subject to public disclosure, in the same manner as those filed in juvenile court, unless otherwise provided by court order. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 1. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 1904 -- Veterans - As introduced, encourages employers to provide paid or unpaid time off on Veterans Day for employees who are veterans. - Amends TCA Title 50 and Title 58. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 1905** -- Education - As introduced, requires each local school board to adopt a policy on the use of religion in curriculum and instructional materials; requires each LEA to create a syllabus to be made public for grades six through 12 on social studies, science, math, and English language arts courses. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 56 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10. by *Hill M, *Hill T, *VanHuss, *Casada, *Terry, *Matheny, *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 1906 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes a licensed podiatrist to supervise a physician assistant; requires a supervising podiatrist and physician assistant to comply with certain statutory requirements and administrative rules; prohibits a physician assistant supervised by a podiatrist from providing certain services; subjects a podiatrist to disciplinary action for failing to supervise properly a physician assistant. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 19 and Title 63, Chapter 3. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 1907** -- Health Care - As introduced, removes eight person limitation for traumatic brain injury residential homes. - Amends TCA Section 68-11-201 and Section 68-11-273. by *Hill M, *Van Huss, *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 1908** -- Dentists and Dentistry - As introduced, moves root planing, periodontal maintenance, and administering local anesthesia and nitrous oxide by dental hygienists from direct to general supervision; adds certain prescriptive authority; authorizes use of teledentistry with dental hygienists in certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 5. by *Hill M, *Hill T.

House Bill No. 1909 -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, deletes requirement that individual physician's offices and practices register as medical spas; deletes a January 1, 2016, deadline for submitting information related to registering as a medical spa. - Amends TCA Section 63-6-105. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 1910** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, changes from 30 to 35 the number of calendar days a new provider applicant has to complete an application before it is deemed incomplete; changes from 30 to 35 the number of days a new provider applicant has to submit a complete network participation enrollment form before the applicant is ineligible to receive payment. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 10. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 1911** -- Animal Control - As introduced, authorizes an animal control agency to seize certain dogs found trespassing on the premises of another if the dog is found attacking an animal belonging to the owner of the premises; requires the animal control agency to notify the owner, if known. - Amends TCA Section 44-8-408. by *Doss, *Casada.

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***House Bill No. 1912** -- Taxes, Franchise - As introduced, decreases the penalty for deficient or delinquent quarterly estimated franchise and excise tax payments from five percent to one percent per month of underpayment; decreases the maximum total penalty for deficient or delinquent quarterly estimated franchise and excise tax payments from 25 percent to 12 percent. - Amends TCA Title 67. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 1913** -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes the City of Spring Hill to levy a privilege tax upon the privilege of occupancy by a 2/3 vote of its governing body. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 1914** -- Statutes of Limitations and Repose - As introduced, permits a person who owns real property and who has not paid taxes on a portion of real property for more than 20 years to bring any action to recover the property if the failure to pay taxes was due to the error of a land surveyor. - Amends TCA Title 28; Title 66 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 1915** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows Bessie Smith Cultural Center in Hamilton County to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4. by *Favors.

House Bill No. 1916 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, deletes sales and use tax exemption for retail sales of periodicals printed entirely on newsprint or bond paper and regularly distributed twice monthly, or on a biweekly or more frequent basis, and advertising supplements or other printed matter distributed with the periodicals. - Amends TCA Section 67-6-329. by *Kane.

***House Bill No. 1917** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, changes from January 15 and July 15 to January 31 and July 31 the dates by which every professional bondsman licensed to do business in Tennessee must file with the court clerk a report of the bondsman's assets and liabilities. - Amends TCA Section 40-11-303. by *Gravitt.

***House Bill No. 1918** -- Auctions and Auctioneers - As introduced, exempts auctioneers age 60 or older from all continuing education requirements only if the auctioneer has been licensed for 10 years or licensed as of July 1, 1999. - Amends TCA Section 62-19-106. by *Gravitt.

House Bill No. 1919 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires certain employees participating in TCRS to have a vesting percentage of 100 percent in retirement benefits upon attaining retirement age or completing certain years of service; revises other various provisions governing public employee benefits. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36 and Title 8, Chapter 37. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 1920 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, revises various provisions governing TCRS including clarifying that the transfer of funds from the stabilization reserve trust account is not a maximum unfunded liability cost and revising provisions concerning TCRS investments. - Amends TCA Section 3-9-103; Title 8, Chapter 25; Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36; Title 8, Chapter 37 and Section 26-2-105. by *Sargent.

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***House Bill No. 1921** -- Real Property - As introduced, provides that a purchaser of a parcel of land in a tax lien sale has no obligation to purchase insurance on the parcel during the redemption period and that the purchaser is not liable for damage that occurs to the property during the redemption period unless it is caused by intentional acts of the purchaser. - Amends TCA Title 28; Title 66 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Sargent.

***House Bill No. 1922** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, changes the definition of "pet" in regard to pet insurance from any domesticated animal normally maintained in or near the household of its owner to any animal normally maintained in or near the household of its owner. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Sargent.

***House Bill No. 1923** -- Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, authorizes a person licensed to offer flex loans to recover from a defaulting customer collection and court costs without referring the matter to an attorney if the flex loan plan or secured plan provides for the recovery of those costs. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 12. by *Sargent.

***House Bill No. 1924** -- Courts, Administrative Office of the - As introduced, requires claims submitted by guardians ad litem in child custody actions to be reviewed by the AOC for reasonableness before fees or costs may be assessed by the court. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 1, Part 1; Title 34; Title 36 and Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 1925** -- Child Abuse - As introduced, prohibits the return of a child who has been abused to any person who engaged in or failed to protect the child from the abuse without certain court findings; requires the termination of department of children's service employee who violates the prohibition. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 1926** -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, prohibits the department of human services from withholding any portion of funds collected for the purpose of child support for any reason, including, but not limited to, for payment of fees owed by the obligee. - Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 71. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 1927** -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, imposes requirements on physicians who prescribe drugs to treat erectile dysfunction; excludes erectile dysfunction drugs from coverage under state employee group insurance plan; prohibits state fund being expended on those drugs unless required by federal law. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 9 and Title 53. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 1928** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, creates an advisory taskforce to review the sale of online coupons and recommend any necessary statutory revisions to the consumer protection and criminal laws that should be made to protect consumers when paying to obtain an online coupon. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 39; Title 47; Title 56 and Title 67. by *Smith.

House Bill No. 1929 -- Military - As introduced, extends immunity from civil liability to national guard members who are authorized by the military department to carry a personally owned handgun while in uniform and who use that handgun in self-defense or defense of others. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 1. by *Zachary, *Ragan.

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House Bill No. 1930 -- Liens - As introduced, requires notice of intent to enforce tax lien to be published in a newspaper of general circulation for three consecutive weeks instead of only two consecutive weeks. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 1931** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, requires a principal making a report of a bullying incident to ensure the victim's name is not included in the report. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 1932** -- Real Property - As introduced, expands the applicability of the Neighborhood Preservation Act to certain occupied buildings and residential properties by authorizing a person to bring a civil action against the owner of an occupied building or property that is not properly maintained or that fails to comply with certain ordinances or regulations. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 6. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 1933** -- Fire Prevention and Investigation - As introduced, removes reference to June 30 as the end of the fiscal year to clarify board may file report six months after its fiscal year which may not end June 30. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 102, Part 3. by *Hulsey.

***House Bill No. 1934** -- Budget Procedures - As introduced, revises the provisions governing the adoption of the budget for a county legislative body; specifies that if the board of education, county mayor, and county budget committee are unable to agree upon the budget for the county department of education by August 31, then the budget will be equal to the budget of the preceding year less any one-time federal or state funds. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 12, Part 2. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 1935** -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires the commission to study the cash supplement provided to officers who complete the annual required training and examine how the pay supplement compares to the actual cost of the officer training. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 54; Title 9; Title 38, Chapter 8; Title 55; Title 56; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 1936** -- Abuse - As introduced, requires each district attorney general to establish an adult protective investigative team for the purpose of coordinating investigations and responses to suspected instances of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of adults. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 6. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 1937** -- Fees - As introduced, requires a financial institution that adopts a written policy stating that notary records are a record of the financial institution to give a copy of the written policy to the individual receiving notary services. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 1938** -- Local Government, General - As introduced, extends the period in which a complaint that challenges the legality of an appointment to the local legislative body to fill a vacancy may be filed in chancery court, from 10 days to 20 days. - Amends TCA Title 5 and Title 12. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 1939** -- Election Laws - As introduced, makes various revisions to election laws such as when a deficient voter registration may be corrected, the timing of delivery of poll books and records to the counting board, and prohibiting the appointment of a

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candidate's spouse on the ballot to serve as a poll watcher. - Amends TCA Section 2-14-202; Section 2-2-109; Section 2-3-204; Section 2-6-303; Section 2-7-104 and Section 2-9-105. by *Wirgau.

House Bill No. 1940 -- Human Services, Dept. of - As introduced, changes the department's sunset date from June 30, 2018, to June 30, 2017; transfers the management and operations of financial accounting and reporting from the department to the department of finance and administration; revises other various provisions relating to the operation of the department. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 39, Chapter 16. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 1941** -- Nuisances - As introduced, imposes same burden of proof in nuisance actions based on changed farming operations as presently applied to nuisance actions based on established farming operations. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 3; Section 39-17-415; Section 43-1-701; Title 43, Chapter 26 and Title 44, Chapter 18. by *Wirgau.

House Bill No. 1942 -- Auctions and Auctioneers - As introduced, authorizes the auctioning of up to five motor vehicles a year if the auction of such motor vehicles is incidental to the sale at auction of other properties. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 17, Part 1 and Title 62, Chapter 19. by *Wirgau.

House Bill No. 1943 -- Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of a D.A.R.E. new specialty earmarked license plate; requires funds to be used for the statewide D.A.R.E. program in Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Wirgau.

House Bill No. 1944 -- School Districts, Special - As introduced, pursuant to the request of the Paris special school district of Henry County, permits the district to issue bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed \$12 million and to issue bond anticipation notes in an amount not to exceed \$12 million. - Amends Chapter 150 of the Private Acts of 1919. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 1945** -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, increases the amount of time that underground utility operators are afforded to stake the location of their utilities upon receiving notice of an emergency excavation or demolition from two to three hours. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 65. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 1946** -- Agriculture - As introduced, specifies that commissioner of agriculture is solely invested with authority to regulate seed in this state, except as otherwise specifically provided by law; requires commissioner to maintain a scheme for regulating seed that is uniform across the state. - Amends TCA Title 43, Chapter 10. by *Lollar.

***House Bill No. 1947** -- Sex Discrimination - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Pay Equality Act." - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 50. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 1948** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Pay Equality Transparency Act." - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 1949** -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner to annually report to the chairs of the house health committee and the senate health and welfare committee on the effect of the mental health parity laws on the quantity and quality of mental health services delivered in the state. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Clemmons.

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***House Bill No. 1950** -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires the state treasurer to submit an annual report by March 1, 2017, and March 1 in subsequent years, to the chairs of the finance, ways and means committees of both houses on investments of federal funds, which funds have been received by the state and for which the investments are required by applicable federal law. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 71. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 1951** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, under certain circumstances, exempts nonresident licensees from liability for professional privilege tax. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 1952** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, authorizes any employee or employer who is harmed as a result of a violation of the present state statutory right to a secret ballot election to seek relief in chancery court. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 1, Part 9. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 1953** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, releases a surety on a defendant's forfeited bond when the defendant is arrested on a capias and the bond was forfeited after the defendant did not comply with conditions of the bond. - Amends TCA Section 40-11-139. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 1954** -- Financial Institutions, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to implement a database no later than January 1, 2018, for licensees providing deferred presentment and flex loan transactions to ensure that customers are not exceeding certain limits under present law for such transactions; requires licensees to conduct database checks before entering into such transactions; authorizes a fee to be charged per transaction. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 1; Title 45, Chapter 12 and Title 45, Chapter 17. by *Jernigan.

House Bill No. 1955 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires that any mandated health benefit that takes effect on or after the effective date of this act shall apply not only to private health insurance issuers but also any managed care organization contracting with the state to provide insurance through the TennCare program and state or local insurance program. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Kane.

***House Bill No. 1956** -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, exempts Montgomery County from the application of the Uniform Residential Landlord and Tenant Act. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 28. by *Johnson.

***House Bill No. 1957** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner of correction to implement a 14-day work schedule instead of a 28-day work schedule for all employees of a correctional facility. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41 and Title 50. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 1958** -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, subject to annual appropriation, requires each state employee to receive 2.5 percent cost of living salary increase at the beginning of the next pay period following the employee's state employment anniversary date. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 9. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 1959** -- Real Property - As introduced, requires a seller to disclose if residential property is located on a private road. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 5. by *Mitchell.

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***House Bill No. 1960** -- Children - As introduced, enacts the "Juvenile Justice Realignment Act"; creates a task force to study the creation of a department of juvenile justice. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 37. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1961** -- Election Laws - As introduced, requires only the last four digits of a social security number instead of the full number on voter registration forms. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1962** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, establishes a franchise and excise tax credit equal to two percent of qualified transportation expenditures made by a shipper who establishes a turn-around policy that meets certain requirements. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 67. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1963** -- Public Records - As introduced, requires that certain public records be destroyed when certain orders of expunction are granted; defines the effect of an expunction order; sets the filing fee for the expunction of multiple convictions at \$350. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21; Title 10 and Title 40, Chapter 32. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1964** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the instant check unit of the TBI to contact the agency making an entry of an order of protection into the national crime information center within one day if the subject of the order of protection attempts to purchase a firearm. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 38, Chapter 6 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1965** -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, requires the department of environment and conservation to provide planning models for relocating, hauling, composting, and other processing of yard waste and food waste. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Terry, *Sparks.

***House Bill No. 1966** -- Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils - As introduced, prohibits the construction of a gas compressor on land that is located within one mile of a public park. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 1967** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, prohibits a person who has been convicted of certain state or federal criminal offenses from owning a business that sells firearms or firearm ammunition at retail or possessing any ownership interest in such a firearms business. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Clemmons.

House Bill No. 1968 -- Education - As introduced, enacts the "Local School District Empowerment Act," which creates a pilot program for reestablishment of the office of elected school superintendent; requires the department of education to study the pilot program procedures for reestablishment of the office; adjusts duties of local boards of education in systems in which the office of elected school superintendent is reestablished. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Powers.

***House Bill No. 1969** -- Immigration - As introduced, enacts the "Protect Tennessee Citizens and Workers Act." - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 68. by *Powers.

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***House Bill No. 1970** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, requires that for any person with outstanding traffic fines and costs exceeding \$200 and that are older than four years, the person is eligible to pay the fines and costs on an installment plan; prohibits the person's driver license from being suspended so long as payments are made. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 1971** -- County Officers - As introduced, deletes all language and cross references for revenue commissioners. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 8, Part 6; Section 8-18-109 and Section 8-21-803. by *Ramsey.

House Bill No. 1972 -- Auditing - As introduced, establishes the position of executive internal auditor and gives the position various responsibilities related to internal audits of executive branch agencies. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 9. by *Ramsey.

***House Bill No. 1973** -- Homestead Exemptions - As introduced, increases the homestead exemption to \$75,000 for an individual and \$150,000 for individuals who jointly own and use real property as their primary place of residence. - Amends TCA Title 26, Chapter 2. by *Ramsey.

***House Bill No. 1974** -- Education - As introduced, requires schools having automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) to have annual training in the use of AEDs and an annual CPR/AED drill for school personnel; requires students in junior high or senior high to receive training in the use of AEDs during CPR instruction and, if the school has an AED, participate in a CPR/AED drill. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Ramsey.

***House Bill No. 1975** -- Alcohol Offenses, Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases the fee for the administration of a blood alcohol or drug concentration test from \$250 to \$268.50. - Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 55. by *Ramsey.

***House Bill No. 1976** -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, makes various revisions to an LEA's policies on harassment, intimidation, bullying, or cyber-bullying, such as requiring the principal or principal's designee to initiate an investigation and determine the appropriate intervention within 20 days of the incident. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 45. by *Ramsey, *Hawk.

House Bill No. 1977 -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare and the health care financing administration to continue to use technical assistance groups of healthcare providers in developing and implementing any payment reform initiative using episodes of care; requires the bureau to report on recommendations from the groups and actions taken in response to the recommendations in quarterly reports to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 71. by *Ramsey.

***House Bill No. 1978** -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, increases age of persons allowed to use tobacco and vapor products from 18 years of age to 21 years of age. - Amends TCA Title 1, Chapter 3; Title 39 and Title 68. by *Ramsey.

House Bill No. 1979 -- Charitable Solicitations - As introduced, specifies that educational institutions exempt from registering with the division of charitable solicitations, includes institutions that are approved by the local board of education, the achievement school

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district, or the state board of education; extends certain renewal of registration filings for an additional 60 days. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 101. by *Ramsey.

House Bill No. 1980 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, allows a school bus for which an LEA contracts with the owner of the bus for exclusive use for school transportation purposes to be registered as a passenger motor vehicle instead of a motor vehicle operating for hire. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 21 and Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Ramsey, *Swann.

House Bill No. 1981 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the Class E felony offense of manufacturing marijuana concentrate by a process which uses an inherently hazardous substance like butane; creates Class A misdemeanor of owner of premises knowingly allowing the process to occur on the premises; makes manufacturing marijuana concentrate by a process which uses a hazardous substance when a child is present child abuse. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 4 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4. by *Ramsey, *Swann.

***House Bill No. 1982** -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, removes board certification by the American board of interventional pain physicians as a path to becoming a pain management specialist for pain management clinics after June 30, 2016. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 1, Part 3. by *Ramsey.

House Bill No. 1983 -- Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, allows eligible students to receive the STEP UP scholarship for up to four years; changes the entity that, recognition from which, makes a postsecondary program eligible for purposes in the STEP UP scholarship. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-943. by *Ramsey, *Hawk, *White M.

***House Bill No. 1984** -- Education - As introduced, requires the commissioner of education to study, at least every five years, the weight of textbooks used by students and to make recommendations based on that study to the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 1985** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, increases the number of days within which a registrant with the division of health related boards must notify the division of a change in address from 30 days to 45 days. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 33; Title 53; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 1986** -- Transportation, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes an electronic format of the report the department provides each member of the general assembly regarding the status of highway projects in the county or counties that the member represents. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 54; Title 55; Title 65 and Title 67. by *Clemmons.

House Bill No. 1987 -- Courts - As introduced, authorizes a court presiding over a legal proceeding to authorize a witness to utilize the assistance of a courthouse facility dog during testimony. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 1; Title 24, Chapter 1 and Title 40, Chapter 17. by *Sanderson, *Sargent.

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House Bill No. 1988 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes submission by electronic mail of the required report to the house and senate government operations committees when a board, commission, agency, or other governmental entity has a vacancy open for 180 days. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 1989 -- Wine & Wineries - As introduced, permits the issuance of self-distribution permits to farm wine permit holders, subject to certain conditions. - Amends TCA Section 57-3-207. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 1990 -- Boards and Commissions - As introduced, expands membership on the viticulture advisory board to include two members of the general assembly, to be appointed by the house and senate speakers. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 43, Chapter 30. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 1991 -- Lottery, Corporation - As introduced, requires use of numbered balls in selecting lottery winners; excludes multistate and instant ticket lottery games. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 51, Part 1. by *Sanderson.

***House Bill No. 1992** -- Public Contracts - As introduced, requires vendors who contract with the state to notify the chief procurement officer if the vendor is being investigated by a state agency or law enforcement regarding the vendor's business activity. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 56 and Title 12. by *Sanderson.

***House Bill No. 1993** -- Highway Signs - As introduced, authorizes the department of transportation to publish a directory of signs denoting Tennessee-owned historic sites on the department's web site. - Amends TCA Title 54. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 1994 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows delivery service licensees that are authorized to deliver alcoholic beverages or beer that are sold by a licensed retailer of alcoholic beverages to also deliver beer from beer permittees. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 57. by *Sanderson.

***House Bill No. 1995** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, deletes obsolete provisions regarding premier type tourist resorts. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Sanderson.

***House Bill No. 1996** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes the city of Gatlinburg to adopt an ordinance imposing a minimum distance, not to exceed 1,000 feet, between distilleries manufacturing distilled spirits. - Amends TCA Section 57-2-103 and Section 57-3-202. by *Carr .

***House Bill No. 1997** -- Municipal Government - As introduced, prohibits a municipality from holding another election on an advertising tax levy for five years after such an election. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 2. by *Carr .

House Bill No. 1998 -- Healthcare Liability - As introduced, redefines "passive investor" for purposes of determining liability in a healthcare liability action from any entity that has an ownership interest in a healthcare provider but that does not directly participate in the day-to-day decision making or operations of the healthcare provider to any entity that has an ownership

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interest of less than five percent in a healthcare provider. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 26. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 1999 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, clarifies that person owing any civil penalty shall be ineligible to qualify as a candidate for election to any state or local public office; clarifies penalty must be paid prior to qualifying deadline. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 1 and Section 2-5-101. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2000** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, establishes a Hall income tax credit equal to 100 percent of the value of a donation made by a taxpayer to any public, private, or home school, LEA, school support organization, or charitable school foundation; limits credit to \$50,000 per taxpayer in a tax year. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 67. by *Matlock.

***House Bill No. 2001** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, deletes obsolete ignition interlock program development fee. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Matlock.

***House Bill No. 2002** -- Local Government, General - As introduced, prohibits a local government, as a condition of doing business within the jurisdictional boundaries of the local government or contracting with the local government, from prohibiting a private employer from requesting certain information on an application for employment or during the process of hiring a new employee. - Amends TCA Section 7-51-1802. by *Matlock, *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2003** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, exempts certain assisted-care living facilities with 15 or fewer residents, that accept only private pay or private insurance clients, and is located in a county with a population of 50,000 or less according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census from certain rules promulgated by the board for licensing healthcare facilities concerning sprinkler systems and employing qualified dietitians. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2004** -- Welfare - As introduced, clarifies and adds to certain reporting and rulemaking functions of the commission on aging and disability. - Amends TCA Section 71-2-104 and Section 71-2-105. by *Kumar.

***House Bill No. 2005** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, authorizes balance billing by out-of-network healthcare providers only after certain notice is given. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Kumar.

***House Bill No. 2006** -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, permits the employment of certain medical professionals by charitable clinics. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 11; Title 63, Chapter 5; Title 63, Chapter 6; Title 63, Chapter 8 and Title 63, Chapter 9. by *Kumar.

***House Bill No. 2007** -- Education - As introduced, requires the office of research and education accountability to report the results of the review on school improvement plans to the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house no later than March 15, 2017, and annually thereafter. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Butt.

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***House Bill No. 2008** -- Real Property - As introduced, increases from 180 to 200 days the minimum time required before a dry cleaner or launderer may dispose of unclaimed garments. - Amends TCA Title 66. by *Butt.

***House Bill No. 2009** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to notify electronically each LEA when the office of research and education accountability publishes a report pertaining to pre-K-12 education in order that the LEAs may disseminate the report to licensed personnel. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Butt.

***House Bill No. 2010** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to post on the department's web site all legislation enacted by the general assembly related to the rights of students and parents or legal guardians; requires the LEA to provide a link to the list on the web site of the LEA. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Butt.

***House Bill No. 2011** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires a public college or university to hold a public meeting on a topic of interest to students, alumni, faculty, or staff with an opportunity for public comment if the university receives a petition of at least 5,000 signatures. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Kane.

***House Bill No. 2012** -- Health Care - As introduced, extends period for filing written reports on applications for certificates of need by reviewing agencies, from 60 days to 75 days. - Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 71. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2013** -- Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, changes terminology from "medication aides certified" to "medication aide"; revises training and other requirements for medication aide program. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 7 and Title 68. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2014** -- Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities - As introduced, reduces from 80 to 75 the age a custodial parent or other custodial caregiver of a person with an intellectual disability who is on the waiting list for services must reach before the individual with intellectual disabilities must be placed on the self-determination waiver or similarly capped medical assistance waiver within six months. - Amends TCA Section 33-5-112. by *Ramsey, *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2015** -- Schools, Charter - As introduced, requires that the state and local per pupil share of funding for a charter school student who returns to an LEA-operated school be withheld from future payments to the charter school. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3; Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 13 and Title 49, Chapter 2. by *Cooper, *Parkinson, *Akbari, *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 2016** -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, authorizes food service establishments to permit bare hand contact with ready-to-eat foods, unless the establishment has shown that the specific contact presents a verifiable risk to public health or safety. - Amends TCA Section 53-8-204 and Section 68-14-704. by *Marsh.

***House Bill No. 2017** -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, requires driver license revocation if licensee has paid no portion of delinquent litigation taxes, court costs, and fines imposed as a result of disposition of a criminal offense; allows reinstatement of the revoked

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license if the person commences repayment of the delinquent litigation taxes, court costs, and fines; removes authorization for a hardship exception or payment plan. - Amends TCA Title 16; Title 39; Title 40, Chapter 24, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2018** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, redesignates Historic Rugby from a premier type tourist resort to a historic interpretive center for purposes of consumption of alcohol on premises; removes references to year round in the description of Historic Rugby. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2019** -- Beer - As introduced, increases amount of beer a manufacturer may sell annually at retail from 25,000 barrels to 30,000 barrels. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 5; Title 57, Chapter 6, and Chapter 19 of the Public Acts of 2015. by *Beck.

House Bill No. 2020 -- Education - As introduced, prohibits a school assigned to the ASD from serving grades other than those served by the school before its assignment to the ASD; if a school is assigned to the ASD, prohibits the ASD from recruiting students zoned for another school. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Beck.

House Bill No. 2021 -- Courts, Administrative Office of the - As introduced, requires the AOC to pay appointed counsel, other than public defenders or post-conviction defenders, within 30 days from the time a judicially approved claim is submitted in accordance with Supreme Court Rules, unless the claim is deemed to be extended or complex, in which case such claim shall be paid within 60 days. - Amends TCA Title 16 and Title 40, Chapter 14, Part 2. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2022** -- Mass Transit - As introduced, authorizes the department of transportation to construct and operate a mass transit system on the shoulder of a state or interstate highway; authorizes the department to enter into a contractual arrangement with a public transportation provider to operate the system. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 54; Title 55; Title 64 and Title 65. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2023** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, prohibits the sale of firearms to persons who are listed on the federal terrorist watchlist. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1316. by *Beck.

House Bill No. 2024 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, requires the director of schools to consider a teacher who is on the list for reemployment for any vacant position for which the teacher is certified to fill. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Love.

***House Bill No. 2025** -- Dentists and Dentistry - As introduced, directs the commissioner of health to complete a comprehensive state oral health plan by January 1, 2017, and to submit the plan to the federal centers for disease control and prevention and to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Love.

House Bill No. 2026 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, includes certain persons convicted of a Class D felony for theft of property or services, if the value of the property or services obtained is \$1,000 or more but less than \$10,000 as an offense that may be expunged from a person's public record. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Love.

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House Bill No. 2027 -- Historical Commission - As introduced, prohibits the commission from making substantive changes to or supplementing language that is submitted for historical markers, if the language is substantiated by citations to documentary evidence. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 11. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2028** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, establishes a procedure whereby a person who committed a crime while a juvenile, was transferred to adult court for trial, and was sentenced as an adult may petition the court for sentence reduction after service of 15 years imprisonment. - Amends TCA Title 40. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2029 -- Racing and Motor Sports - As introduced, creates the state horse racing advisory committee to develop recommendations for legislation related to the establishment of horse racing in this state. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2030** -- Guardians and Conservators - As introduced, establishes protections for the rights of a ward of a conservator, including the right to receive communications, visitation, and interaction with other persons; requires a conservator to notify certain persons when certain events occur. - Amends TCA Title 34, Chapter 1; Title 34, Chapter 3 and Title 71, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2031 -- Public Records - As introduced, permits a person to petition the court for the expunction of multiple convictions provided all the offenses are currently eligible for expunction, the petitioner has completed all requirements of each sentence, and five years have elapsed since the most recent offense. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2032 -- Agriculture - As introduced, requires the department of agriculture to license industrial hemp processors and distributors in this state and authorizes certain higher education institutions to develop ultra-low THC content industrial hemp seeds that could be certified by the state seed certifying agency for use by persons licensed to grow industrial hemp in this state. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 43 and Chapter 936 of the Public Acts of 2014. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2033 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, establishes that if a person or entity posts to prohibit the possession of firearms on the property, the posting entity, for purposes of liability, assumes custodial responsibility for the safety and defense of any handgun carry permit holder harmed while on the posted property. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2034 -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, deletes the criminal offense that prohibits importation, possession, or transfer of live skunks so that skunk ownership and propagation may be regulated by the wildlife resources commission under its rules for Class II wildlife. - Amends TCA Title 70. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2035 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, authorizes the secretary of state to require the online submission of rules, notices of hearings, and related filings. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 2 and Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 4. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2036** -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, establishes procedure for classifying property as low-income housing property; requires such property be valued

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according to present use value; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Title 13 and Title 67. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2037** -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, repeals registration requirement for certain health clubs; specifies that such clubs post a surety bond in the amount of \$25,000 for each location conducting business in this state or certify to the department their net worth of at least \$10,000,000. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 57, Chapter 4. by *Faison.

House Bill No. 2038 -- Workers Compensation - As introduced, reduces the amount a medical provider may charge an employee for medical reports, medical records, or documents relating to a workers' compensation claim from \$10.00 for the first 20 pages to \$10.00 for the first 30 pages. - Amends TCA Title 50 and Title 56. by *Eldridge.

***House Bill No. 2039** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, creates judicial diversion program for juveniles, in which the juvenile would admit to a delinquent act, complete a one-year probation period, and have the charges against the child dismissed. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 40. by *Farmer.

***House Bill No. 2040** -- Senior Citizens - As introduced, authorizes zoning consideration of temporary family healthcare structures. - Amends TCA Title 13; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Farmer.

House Bill No. 2041 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes the Town of Dandridge to levy a privilege tax upon the privilege of occupancy by a two-thirds vote of its governing body. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 14. by *Farmer.

House Bill No. 2042 -- Election Laws - As introduced, exempts individuals who use personal funds to pay for certain political communications from making certain disclosures on the communications. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 2, Chapter 19. by *Farmer.

House Bill No. 2043 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, removes provision whereby a person who provides prayer in lieu of medical or surgical treatment could not be charged with the crime of child abuse, neglect, or endangerment solely for that reason. - Amends TCA Section 39-15-402. by *Farmer.

***House Bill No. 2044** -- Probation and Parole - As introduced, adds as a possible condition of probation that the court may impose participation in an alcohol and drug treatment program, if the defendant was charged with a drug offense, is pregnant or was pregnant at the time the offense was committed, and the defendant's use of alcohol or drugs was a contributing factor in the defendant's unlawful conduct. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Chapter 820 of the Public Acts of 2014. by *Farmer.

***House Bill No. 2045** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, redefines "autocycle" and clarifies definitions related to the weight or engine displacement of all-terrain vehicles and autocycles; prohibits a person from operating an autocycle with a child passenger if such child is required to use a car seat in a passenger car. - Amends TCA Title 11; Title 47 and Title 55. by *Alexander.

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House Bill No. 2046 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, requires any state contributed funds to health savings accounts for state employee group insurance plan members to be annually deposited by January 1 or the date coverage becomes effective. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 27. by *McDaniel.

House Bill No. 2047 -- State Government - As introduced, transfers bomb and arson section within the department of commerce and insurance to the TBI. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 6 and Title 68, Chapter 102. by *McDaniel.

***House Bill No. 2048** -- Environment and Conservation, Department of - As introduced, requires the department to make payments in lieu of taxes to local governments on real property the department has purchased or otherwise acquired. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 48; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 70. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2049** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, enacts the "Government Imposter and Deceptive Advertisements Act." - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Eldridge, *Clemmons, *Hardaway, *Miller.

***House Bill No. 2050** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the penalty of assault to a Class E felony if committed against a law enforcement officer or first responder. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Eldridge.

***House Bill No. 2051** -- Vital Records - As introduced, clarifies that the time in which an unmarried woman in a birthing institution is to be presented with certain information regarding establishing paternity of her child is immediately before but no later than 24 hours after the birth of her child. - Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 7; Title 36 and Title 68. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2052** -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, increases from 15 days from the date a notice to transfer was mailed to 20 days that a nonrequesting party may contest a request to transfer a child custody or support case. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 5, Part 30. by *Terry.

House Bill No. 2053 -- Election Laws - As introduced, excludes residents of correctional institutions from being considered in reapportionment. - Amends TCA Title 5 and Title 41. by *Weaver.

***House Bill No. 2054** -- Safety - As introduced, authorizes certain entities to stock epinephrine auto-injectors on their premises; authorizes employees, agents, and laypersons to provide or administer an epinephrine auto-injector under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 68, Chapter 140. by *Kumar, *Sexton C, *Williams, *Littleton, *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2055** -- Public Utilities - As introduced, extends the terms, conditions, obligations, and rights of a privilege or franchise for the provision of natural gas service furnished to certain municipalities, and in those municipalities, until approval of a subsequent privilege or franchise. - Amends TCA Title 6 and Title 65. by *Marsh, *Swann, *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 2056** -- Child Abuse - As introduced, prohibits the department of children's services from publicly disclosing the identity of an alleged perpetrator of child abuse or neglect prior to a finding by the department that the allegations are substantiated; specifies that the department may participate in or release information regarding an ongoing criminal

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case in which the alleged perpetrator has been charged or indicted. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2057** -- Vital Records - As introduced, allows amendment of birth certificate to reflect a change in gender. - Amends TCA Section 68-3-203. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2058** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, creates offense of recklessly leaving a loaded firearm unattended and readily accessible to a child under 13 years of age; creates certain defense. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2059** -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, reduces the state sales and use tax rate on retail sales of diapers, feminine hygiene products, and nonexempt over-the-counter drugs from seven percent to five percent. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2060** -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, allows state licensed or certified real estate appraisers to comply with a standard of valuation practice other than the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice when performing an appraisal for any purpose other than a federally related transaction. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 39. by *Casada.

House Bill No. 2061 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to provide access to standardized forms for health care insurance claims on the commissioner's web site. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2062** -- Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) - As introduced, establishes that local emergency management agency personnel shall have all rights, benefits, privileges, and protections available pursuant to state and local laws, including death benefits in the amount of \$25,000. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1 and Title 58. by *Halford.

***House Bill No. 2063** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the governing boards of each state institution to adopt the freedom of speech and expression policy to protect student speech and activity. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 2064** -- Highway Signs - As introduced, grants the department of transportation exclusive jurisdiction over the design, erection, installation, and maintenance of tourist oriented directional signs ("TODS signs"), including jurisdiction over TODS signs on state highways in incorporated municipalities; requires removal of signs purporting to be TODS signs that were, or are, installed without lawful authorization; requires department to establish TODS permit system and inventory. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 5. by *Daniel.

House Bill No. 2065 -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, changes the burden of proof for asset forfeitures from a preponderance of the evidence to clear and convincing evidence; makes other revisions regarding entitlements due to prevailing owner and distribution of forfeiture proceeds. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33. by *Daniel.

House Bill No. 2066 -- University of Tennessee - As introduced, limits spending by the University of Tennessee on diversity, multicultural, or sustainability programs to \$2,500,000 per year; requires an annual written report to the general assembly on such expenditures; prohibits

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employees working in diversity offices from engaging in certain activities; prohibits employees working primarily in other areas from working on diversity, multicultural, and sustainability programs. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Daniel.

House Bill No. 2067 -- University of Tennessee - As introduced, requires the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee systems to allow reasonable time for public comments at regularly scheduled board meetings. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 2068** -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, clarifies that agency powers under the Act are to be narrowly construed; increases burden of agencies by requiring them to prove, by clear and convincing evidence, that administrative rules conform to certain specific criteria. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 2069** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, enacts the "Tuition Stability Act." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 2070** -- Education - As introduced, prohibits institutions of higher learning and senior high schools from disciplining students who seek medical assistance for drug overdoses; prohibits such institutions and schools from sanctioning any student organization or team in which the student who is experiencing the overdose or seeking medical assistance for another is a member. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Daniel.

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

On motion, bills listed below passed second consideration and were referred by the Speaker to Committee or held on the Clerk's desk as noted:

***House Bill No. 1679** -- Attorneys at Law -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1680** -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1681 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1682 -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1683 -- Special License Plates -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1684** -- Auditing -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1685** -- Taxes, Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1686** -- Bonds and Undertakings, Regulation of -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

***House Bill No. 1687** -- Sunset Laws -- House Government Operations Committee

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- *House Bill No. 1688** -- Industrial Development -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1689** -- Taxes, Real Property -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1690** -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee
- *House Bill No. 1691** -- Taxes, Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1692** -- Taxes, Ad Valorem -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee
- *House Bill No. 1693** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1694** -- Sexual Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1695** -- Taxes, Hotel Motel -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1696** -- University of Tennessee -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee
- *House Bill No. 1697** -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 1698** -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee
- House Bill No. 1699** -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee
- *House Bill No. 1700** -- Guardians and Conservators -- House Civil Justice Committee
- House Bill No. 1701** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- House Bill No. 1702** -- State Government -- House Insurance and Banking Committee
- *House Bill No. 1703** -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee
- *House Bill No. 1704** -- Probation and Parole -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1705** -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1706** -- Law Enforcement -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1707** -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House State Government Committee
- House Bill No. 1708** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee
- House Bill No. 1709** -- Abortion -- House Health Committee

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House Bill No. 1710 -- Charitable Institutions -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1711** -- Traffic Safety -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1712** -- Public Health -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1713** -- Public Funds and Financing -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1714 -- Game and Fish Laws -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1715** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1716** -- Child Custody and Support -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1717** -- Professions and Occupations -- House Business and Utilities Committee

***House Bill No. 1718** -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

***House Bill No. 1719** -- County Government -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1720** -- Workers Compensation -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1721** -- Fiscal Review Committee -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1722** -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1724 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1725** -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 1726 -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1727** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1728 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1729 -- Physicians and Surgeons -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1730** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1731 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

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***House Bill No. 1732** -- Professions and Occupations -- House Business and Utilities Committee

***House Bill No. 1733** -- Agriculture, Dept. of -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1734** -- Courts, Supreme Court of Tennessee -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1735 -- Alcoholic Beverage Commission -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1736** -- Education, Higher -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1737 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1738** -- General Assembly -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1739** -- Open Meetings -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1740 -- Courts, Juvenile -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1741 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1742 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1743 -- Comptroller, State -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 1744 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1745** -- Managed Care Organizations -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1746** -- Consumer Protection -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1747** -- Motor Vehicles -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1748 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1749 -- Handgun Permits -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1750 -- Law Enforcement -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1751** -- Education -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1752** -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

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House Bill No. 1753 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1754 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1755 -- Education, Curriculum -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

***House Bill No. 1756** -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1757** -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1758** -- Abortion -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1759 -- Special License Plates -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1760** -- Fiscal Review Committee -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1761** -- Firefighters -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1762** -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1763** -- Auditing -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1764** -- Public Funds and Financing -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1765** -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

***House Bill No. 1766** -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1767** -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1768** -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1769 -- Wildlife Resources Commission -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1770** -- Schools, Home -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1771 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

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- *House Bill No. 1772** -- Forfeiture of Assets -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1773** -- Forfeiture of Assets -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1774** -- Damages -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1775** -- Garnishments and Executions -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1776** -- Common Carriers -- House Transportation Committee
- *House Bill No. 1777** -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1778** -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee
- *House Bill No. 1779** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1780** -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee
- *House Bill No. 1781** -- Traffic Safety -- House Transportation Committee
- House Bill No. 1782** -- Motor Vehicles -- House Transportation Committee
- *House Bill No. 1783** -- Alcoholic Beverage Commission -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1784** -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 1785** -- Highway Patrol -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1786** -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1787** -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee
- *House Bill No. 1788** -- Handgun Permits -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1789** -- Highway Signs -- House Transportation Committee
- House Bill No. 1790** -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1791** -- Courts, Supreme Court of Tennessee -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 1792** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House State Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 1793** -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

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***House Bill No. 1794** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

***House Bill No. 1795** -- Workers Compensation -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

House Bill No. 1796 -- Constitutional Amendments -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1797** -- Public Contracts -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1798** -- Real Property -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 1799 -- Special License Plates -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1800** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1801** -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1802 -- Public Health -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1803 -- Inheritance Laws -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1804** -- Taxes, Business -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

***House Bill No. 1805** -- Food and Food Products -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1806** -- Disabled Persons -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 1807 -- Education, State Board of -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1808** -- Taxes, Privilege -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

***House Bill No. 1809** -- Physicians and Surgeons -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1810** -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- House Business and Utilities Committee

***House Bill No. 1811** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1812** -- Courts, Juvenile -- House Civil Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1813** -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

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House Bill No. 1815 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1816** -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

House Bill No. 1817 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1818** -- Municipal Government -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1819** -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1820** -- Optometry -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 1821 -- Game and Fish Laws -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 1822 -- Taxes, Income -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 1823 -- Birth Control -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1824** -- Elder Abuse -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1825** -- Schools, Private -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1826** -- Taxes, Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1827** -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 1828 -- State Government -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1829 -- Sunset Laws -- House Government Operations Committee

***House Bill No. 1830** -- Employees, Employers -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1831** -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1832** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1833** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- House Transportation Committee

***House Bill No. 1834** -- Food and Food Products -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

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***House Bill No. 1835** -- Agriculture, Dept. of -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1836** -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1837** -- State Government -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 1838 -- Employees, Employers -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1839** -- Telecommunications -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 1840 -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1841** -- Environment and Conservation, Department of -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1842** -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1843** -- DUI Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1845** -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1846** -- Taxes, Real Property -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1847** -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1848** -- Zoning -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1849** -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1850** -- Sewage -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1851** -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1852** -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

***House Bill No. 1853** -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1854** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1855** -- Child Abuse -- House Criminal Justice Committee

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House Bill No. 1856 -- Drugs, Prescription -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1857** -- Clerks, Court -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1858 -- Murfreesboro -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1859** -- Beer -- House Local Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1860** -- Taxes -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 1861 -- Consumer Protection -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1862** -- Wine & Wineries -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1863** -- Consumer Protection -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1864** -- Controlled Substances -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1865 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1866** -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 1867 -- Bail, Bail Bonds -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1868 -- Public Defenders -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 1869 -- Workers Compensation -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

House Bill No. 1870 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House State Government Committee

***House Bill No. 1871** -- Environmental Preservation -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1872** -- TennCare -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1873** -- Air Pollution -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1874** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

***House Bill No. 1875** -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1876** -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee

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House Bill No. 1877 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

***House Bill No. 1878** -- University of Tennessee -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

***House Bill No. 1879** -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

House Bill No. 1880 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

***House Bill No. 1881** -- Taxes, Severance -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

***House Bill No. 1882** -- Scholarships and Financial Aid -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

CONSENT CALENDAR

House Resolution No. 136 -- Memorials, Death - John Hollins, Sr. by *Clemmons.

House Resolution No. 137 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ivan Johnston. by *Doss.

House Resolution No. 138 -- Memorials, Recognition - Andy Adkins. by *Doss.

House Resolution No. 140 -- Memorials, Recognition - Rick Brawner. by *Windle.

House Joint Resolution No. 498 -- Memorials, Sports - Wayne County Dixie Youth Darlings softball team. by *Byrd.

House Joint Resolution No. 501 -- Memorials, Death - Frances Dancy Hooks. by *Cooper.

House Joint Resolution No. 503 -- Memorials, Retirement - Sheila Crowley. by *Pitts.

House Joint Resolution No. 504 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jason Allen Price and John Colby Eledge. by *Doss.

House Joint Resolution No. 505 -- Memorials, Retirement - Mike Long. by *Hill T.

House Joint Resolution No. 506 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Renata Soto, Chair of the National Council of La Raza. by *Clemmons, *Stewart, *Powell, *Jernigan, *Jones, *Gilmore, *Beck, *Love, *Mitchell.

House Joint Resolution No. 510 -- Memorials, Recognition - Tracy D. Solomon. by *Hawk.

House Joint Resolution No. 513 -- Memorials, Retirement - H. Dean Stone, The Daily Times. by *Swann, *Ramsey.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 392 -- Memorials, Death - William H. Swain. by *Yager, *Massey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 395 -- Memorials, Death - Robert "Bob" Burleson. by *Crowe, *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 396 -- Memorials, Death - Thomas Hamby. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 397 -- Memorials, Recognition - Boy Scout Troop 101 of Kingston, 75th anniversary. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 398 -- Memorials, Death - Bobby Collier, death. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 399 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Cathy Whitehead, 2015–16 Tennessee Teacher of the Year. by *Gresham, *Bailey, *Beavers, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Dickerson, *Gardenhire, *Green, *Haile, *Harper, *Harris, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Ketron, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Norris, *Overbey, *Roberts, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Tate, *Tracy, *Watson, *Yager, *Yarbro, *Ramsey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 401 -- Memorials, Death - Leonard Keelon Bradley. by *Beavers, *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 402 -- Memorials, Death - Cecil Paul Roy. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 403 -- Memorials, Recognition - Douglas E. Wilson. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 404 -- Memorials, Recognition - Mayor Megan Barry. by *Yarbro, *Harper, *Dickerson, *Haile.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 405 -- Memorials, Public Service - Jim Fyke. by *Dickerson, *Overbey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 406 -- Memorials, Heroism - Eugene Garza. by *Yager.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 407 -- Memorials, Death - Representative Clint Callicott. by *Johnson, *Bailey, *Beavers, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Dickerson, *Gardenhire, *Green, *Gresham, *Haile, *Harper, *Harris, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Kelsey, *Ketron, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Norris, *Overbey, *Roberts, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Tate, *Tracy, *Watson, *Yager, *Yarbro, *Ramsey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 411 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement - Emily Ann Roberts, runner-up on The Voice Season 9. by *McNally, *Massey, *Briggs.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 455 -- Memorials, Sports - Independence High School, TSSAA Division I Class 5A state football champions. by *Johnson.

OBJECTION--CONSENT CALENDAR

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Objections were filed to the following on the Consent Calendar:

House Joint Resolution No. 506: by Rep. Casada

Senate Joint Resolution No. 405: by Rep. Powell

Under the rules, House Joint Resolution No. 506 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 405 were placed at the heel of the calendar for January 25, 2016.

Rep. Casada moved that all members voting aye on Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 399 and 407 be added as co-prime sponsors, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Pody, Ragan and Womick.

Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Dunn moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	92
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Hulsey, Jenkins, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, White D., White M., Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 92

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. K. Brooks, **House Bill No. 896** was recalled from the Health Committee and withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. K. Brooks, **House Bill No. 898** was recalled from the Civil Justice Committee and withdrawn from the House.

BILL HELD ON DESK

Without objection, Rep. Powell moved that **Senate Joint Resolution No. 405** be held on the Desk.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

APPOINTMENTS

The Speaker appointed Rep. Hazelwood to the Select Committee on Ethics.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 506 Rep. Pitts as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1268 Rep. Rogers as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1405 Rep. Pody as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1470 Reps. Howell, Moody, M. Hill and K. Brooks as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1485 Reps. Forgety, H. Brooks, Byrd, McDaniel, Fitzhugh and Lamberth as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1490 Reps. Rogers and Weaver as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1531 Rep. Faison as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1532 Rep. Hulsey as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1534 Rep. Smith as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1535 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1536 Rep. M. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1544 Rep. Wirgau as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1545 Rep. Farmer as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1546 Rep. Lundberg as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1550 Rep. D. White as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1650 Reps. Rogers and Womick as prime sponsors.

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House Bill No. 1748 Reps. Eldridge, Spivey, Holt, Reedy, Rogers and Weaver as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1782 Rep. Kumar as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1856 Reps. Kumar and Armstrong as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1965 Reps. D. White and Womick as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2062 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2088 Rep. Faison as First prime sponsor.

SPONSORS REMOVED

On Motion, Rep. McManus was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1049**.

On Motion, Rep. Turner was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1927**.

On Motion, Rep. Zachary was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2088**.

**ENROLLED BILLS
January 21, 2016**

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bill No. 238; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
January 21, 2016**

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Bill No. 238.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 238; signed by the Speaker.

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RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**ENGROSSED BILLS
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MADAM SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 498, 501, 503, 504, 505, 510 and 513.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
January 21, 2016**

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Resolutions Nos. 136, 137, 138 and 140; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
January 21, 2016**

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Resolutions Nos. 136, 137, 138 and 140.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 457, 459, 460, 462, 463, 465, 466, 468, 469 and 477; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
January 21, 2016**

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 457, 459, 460, 462, 463, 465, 466, 468, 469 and 477.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 176; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 92, 479 and 483; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 777 and 1354; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 777 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, exempts vehicles that are three years old and newer and that have an odometer reading of less than 36,000 miles from emissions testing requirements; requires owner or operator to submit affidavit certifying that the vehicle meets the criteria. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 1; Title 55, Chapter 6 and Title 68, Chapter 201. by *Beavers. (*HB721 by *Pody, *Hardaway, *Rogers, *Byrd)

Senate Bill No. 1354 -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, authorizes workhouse superintendent to utilize electronic means to account for workhouse supplies; clarifies other provisions pertaining to public finance. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 12; Title 13; Title 41; Title 42; Title 49; Title 64; Title 68 and Title 69. by *McNally. (*HB192 by *Johnson)

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
January 21, 2016**

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 457, 459, 460, 462, 463, 465, 466, 468, 469 and 477; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
January 21, 2016**

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bill No. 176; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

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GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS
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MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 92, 479 and 483; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

**SIGNED
January 21, 2016**

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 92, 479 and 483.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 92, 479 and 483; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion previously made, the following bills were introduced:

***House Bill No. 2071** -- Education - As introduced, requires the department of education to develop materials for training school personnel about suicide prevention; requires the department to establish a model policy on suicide prevention; requires an LEA to adopt its own policy or the model policy on suicide prevention. - Amends TCA Title 33 and Title 49. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2072 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes community corrections officers who hold a valid Tennessee handgun permit to carry a handgun while in the course of employment and engaged in the actual discharge of official duties. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1350. by *Sexton J.

***House Bill No. 2073** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, grants a 50 percent discount on the vehicle registration fee for persons 65 or older; applies at the time of renewal of registration. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Sexton J.

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House Bill No. 2074 -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, requires the department of agriculture to issue live wild-appearing swine transport permits; codifies methods by which landowners and their designees may take or trap wild-appearing swine; authorizes landowners to sell live wild-appearing swine. - Amends TCA Title 43; Title 44 and Title 70. by *Sexton J.

***House Bill No. 2075** -- Abortion - As introduced, revises the reporting requirements for abortions. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 3. by *Sexton J.

***House Bill No. 2076** -- Abortion - As introduced, requires financial records of facilities and physician's offices that perform abortions to be available for inspection by the comptroller and district attorneys general. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 39; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2077 -- Students - As introduced, requires LEAs to maintain certain records concerning who accesses student records and when and why the access occurs; requires certain authentication for access of electronic records; requires notification of a student's parent or guardian of access of the student's records. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 2. by *Sexton J, *Sparks.

***House Bill No. 2078** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, authorizes general sessions and criminal court judges in Knox County to suspend court costs and litigation tax for indigent defendants; authorizes criminal court clerk to implement community service program in lieu of full payment of court costs and litigation taxes for indigent defendants. - Amends TCA Section 8-21-401; Title 40, Chapter 25 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2079** -- Political Parties - As introduced, requires the coordinator of elections to file a report with the senate state and local government committee, the house local government committee, and the speakers of each house no later than February 15 of each odd-numbered year detailing the success or failure of a minor party in receiving recognition as a recognized minor party during the previous election cycle. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2080** -- Public Records - As introduced, specifies the form in which a request to redact or remove a military discharge record from the county register of deeds may be made; makes other related changes. - Amends TCA Section 4-4-125 and Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2081** -- Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of mental health and substance abuse services, in consultation with the commissioner of health, to establish a pre-arrest diversion program from minor drug charges. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2082** -- Public Records - As introduced, revises requirements for protecting personally identifying information in records held by governmental entities; requires the office of open records counsel to develop a model public records policy for governmental entities; makes other related changes to public records laws. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 4; Title 8, Chapter 4; Title 10, Chapter 7; Title 39; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 50, Chapter 1 and Title 67. by *Dunn.

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***House Bill No. 2083** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, enacts the "Office-Based Opiate Treatment Act." - Amends TCA Section 33-2-402 and Section 33-2-403. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2084** -- Energy - As introduced, enacts the "Property Assessed Clean Energy Act." - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5; Title 5; Title 6 and Title 68. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2085** -- Powers of Attorney - As introduced, revises the Power of Attorney for Care of a Minor Child Act. - Amends TCA Title 34, Chapter 6, Part 3 and Title 37, Chapter 5, Part 5. by *Smith.

House Bill No. 2086 -- Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, requires sellers of dyed diesel fuel to offer the same discount off the sales price of each gallon of such fuel purchased by eligible farmers that motor carriers receive. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 3. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 2087** -- County Government - As introduced, requires the state treasurer to make the annual report of the educational incentives paid to each county available in an electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 5. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 2088** -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, creates a 21-member task force to study issues related to healthcare services; the task force will make a report and cease to exist by January 15, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 7. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2089** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, creates a domestic violence offender registry to be maintained by the TBI. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6 and Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2090** -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, establishes a minimum wage of \$15.00 as of July 1; provides a minimum wage for employees in the service industry who receive tips and employees that are compensated solely by gratuities; authorizes the department of labor and workforce development to promulgate rules in compliance with federal law. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2091** -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires investigation into an officer-involved shooting to be conducted by the TBI, which provides a report on the investigation to the district attorney general and attorney general and reporter; increases the amount awarded to the estate of an officer killed in the line of duty. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 51, Part 2; Title 8, Chapter 6; Title 8, Chapter 7 and Title 38. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2092** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to report to the speaker of the senate and the speaker of the house, on or before December 31, 2016, concerning benefits and costs associated with the coverage of emergency medical transportation as an in-network benefit in health insurance policies even when an out-of-network provider is utilized. - Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 68. by *Brooks H.

***House Bill No. 2093** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires that, beginning with the 2017–2018 academic year, the cost of producing an associate or baccalaureate degree at a public institution of higher education not exceed the United States average cost of producing an

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associate or baccalaureate degree respectively as determined by the national center for higher education management systems. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Brooks H.

House Bill No. 2094 -- Education - As introduced, includes funds appropriated for nonrecurring education expenses in the apportionment requirement. - Amends TCA Section 49-3-314. by *Sanderson.

***House Bill No. 2095** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense for any person who sells, leases, or otherwise transfers title of a motor vehicle on or after July 1, 2015, to knowingly install, conceal, or otherwise place an electronic tracking device in or on the motor vehicle without the written consent of the purchaser of the vehicle. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 6 and Title 55. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2096** -- Education - As introduced, requires TSAC to provide information on mentoring and community service programs at the annual lottery scholarship day. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *Forgety.

House Bill No. 2097 -- Hamilton County - As introduced, requires the public notice of a vacancy in the office of a member of a county legislative body to be printed in a newspaper of general circulation at least 15 days prior, instead of seven days prior, to the meeting at which the office is to be filled. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 5. by *Favors.

***House Bill No. 2098** -- Alcohol Offenses, Motor Vehicles - As introduced, creates TN Sobriety program which requires defendants charged with certain alcohol-related driving offenses to submit to twice daily sobriety testing as a condition of bond. - Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 55. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2099 -- Energy - As introduced, enacts the "Cogeneration and Distributed Generation Act." - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 65. by *Clemmons.

***House Bill No. 2100** -- Highway Signs - As introduced, defines "breakfast" for specific service-sign purposes. - Amends TCA Title 54. by *Sexton J.

***House Bill No. 2101** -- Schools, Charter - As introduced, changes the conditions under which certain charter school agreements may be revoked; defines the term "community-based charter schools." - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2102** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, directs a chief of police, sheriff, or district attorney general to petition the court with criminal jurisdiction over an act for the expunction of records relating to any arrest, charge, or indictment based on mistaken identity; requires the court to order expunction of the records without cost to the person. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2103** -- Education - As introduced, creates a task force to study the effects of concussions on student athletes in high school and college. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7. by *Hardaway.

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***House Bill No. 2104** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, creates a domestic violence offender registry to be maintained by the TBI. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6 and Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2105** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, creates an advisory task force to review online simulated competitions, including, but not limited to, online fantasy football, and recommend any necessary statutory revisions to the consumer protection laws that should be made to protect consumers when paying to participate in an online simulated competition. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 39; Title 47; Title 56 and Title 67. by *Marsh.

House Bill No. 2106 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, adds the health committee of the house and the health and welfare committee of the senate to entities that are required to receive a monthly report from the bureau of TennCare concerning the impact on appropriations or expenditures of approved certificate of need applications. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2107** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner of mental health and substance abuse services to report to the health and welfare committee of the senate and health committee of the house by January 31, 2017, concerning the feasibility of a pilot project for one county that provides transitional services to certain prisoners who are returned to the community; services would include mental health services, substance abuse services, health care, and employment and housing supports. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 40; Title 41; Title 50 and Title 71. by *Swann.

House Bill No. 2108 -- Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, extends the deadline for wholesalers to request a refund for petroleum products sold subject to the governmental agency exemption from March 31 to June 30 of each year; removes certain purchasing requirements for governmental agency exemption eligibility. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 3. by *Swann.

House Bill No. 2109 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, over the next four years, raises Hall tax maximum allowable income exemptions for taxpayers 65 years of age or older by \$500 per year until they are \$39,000 for single filers and \$70,000 for joint filers. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *Swann.

House Bill No. 2110 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, over the next five years, annually raises the Hall tax exemptions for all taxpayers by \$150 for single filers and \$200 for joint filers. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *Swann.

House Bill No. 2111 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, requires the board for licensing contractors to provide access to license issuance, renewal, and termination forms on the board's web site. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 62, Chapter 6. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2112** -- Special License Plates - As introduced, adds the Global War on Terrorism and the Afghanistan War to the list of specialty license plates created for honorably discharged veterans; changes the fee schedule for honorably discharged veteran license plates. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Swann.

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***House Bill No. 2113** -- Taxes, Income - As introduced, extends from six months to seven months the tax due date for certain members of the military following the conclusion of hostilities in which the person is actually engaged outside the United States or after the person is transferred from the theater of operations of such hostilities, whichever is sooner. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2114** -- Energy - As introduced, expands those persons and entities to whom the division of energy within the department of economic and community development must provide studies or analyses of energy information from the governor and committees of the general assembly to the governor, committees of the general assembly, the general public by way of the division's web site, each member of the general assembly, and state and federal authorities if such authorities request the information. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 9; Title 13; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2115** -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, requires candidates for local public office who have contributions or expenditures in excess of \$1,000 to file reports electronically with the registry of election finance beginning January 1, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10. by *Favors.

***House Bill No. 2116** -- Domestic Violence - As introduced, prohibits a landlord from evicting victims of domestic abuse, minor children, and innocent occupants when domestic abuse is the underlying reason for terminating a lease. - Amends TCA Title 29; Title 36 and Title 66. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2117** -- Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, revises the provisions governing eligibility and funding for the community college reconnect grant. - Amends Chapter 363 of the Public Acts of 2015. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2118** -- Taxes, Income - As introduced, for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2017, terminates the state-imposed Hall income tax and allows local governments to levy a like tax not to exceed 2.25 percent. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2119** -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, prohibits a city, town, municipality, or utility district from recovering charges or penalties for the furnishing of water, wastewater, or sewer services to a utility user from any property owner who is not a party to the contract for services. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 68. by *McCormick.

House Bill No. 2120 -- Sexual Offenses - As introduced, extends the statute of limitation for aggravated statutory rape committed on or after July 1, 2016, to 25 years from the date the victim becomes 18 years of age. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 2. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2121** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires THEC to publish in the Tennessee Postsecondary Education Fact Book information TSAC and THEC collect annually on the Tennessee Promise scholarship program so that it is readily available to the public. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 2. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2122** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, establishes that law enforcement-related deaths are a notifiable condition for public health reporting; requires the

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department to promulgate rules regarding the collection and reporting of deaths related to law enforcement for public health reporting purposes. - Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 68. by *Love.

***House Bill No. 2123** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, prohibits construction or operation of any licensed manufacturer within 1,000 feet of the state right-of-way of U.S. Highway 441 in Pigeon Forge. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 2 and Title 57, Chapter 3. by *Carr.

House Bill No. 2124 -- Pigeon Forge - As introduced, creates seat designations for commissioners; allows voters to vote for one commissioner for each open, designated seat. - Amends TCA Section 6-20-101. by *Carr .

***House Bill No. 2125** -- Election Laws - As introduced, allows Rutherford County to participate in a pilot project for establishing convenient voting centers for use on election day upon super majority vote of the county election commission. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 3. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2126** -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, establishes requirements for the dispensing of opioids and benzodiazepines by physicians and other healthcare providers. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2127** -- Education - As introduced, requires the evaluation algorithms and methodologies used in teacher evaluations to be scientifically valid. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2128** -- Public Records - As introduced, requires a state agency, institution, and political subdivision to post the electronic mail communications policy on the web site of the agency, institution, and political subdivision. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 4, Part 6 and Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2129** -- Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Heritage Protection Act of 2016." - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 4. by *McDaniel.

***House Bill No. 2130** -- Students - As introduced, removes certain requirements governing remand to alternative schools and expulsion for students convicted of violent felonies. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6; Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Butt.

House Bill No. 2131 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, prohibits public postsecondary institutions from taking any adverse action against an employee or student as a result of such person's lawful transportation and storage of a firearm or ammunition in the person's parked motor vehicle. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *Rogers.

***House Bill No. 2132** -- Public Contracts - As introduced, establishes an annual date of February 1 by which the contract subcommittee of the fiscal review committee is required to submit its annual report on the state's use of contract services to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 10; Title 12 and Title 41. by *Rogers.

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House Bill No. 2133 -- Telecommunications - As introduced, revises provisions relative to providing broadband Internet services. - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 65. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2134** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, creates a Class C misdemeanor for operating a vehicle hauling timber, logs, or pulpwood on U.S. Highway 11/State Route 2 in the city limits of the City of Cleveland in Bradley County. - Amends TCA Title 54 and Title 55, Chapter 7. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2135** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the penalty for vehicular homicide as a result of drag racing or conduct creating a substantial risk of death or serious bodily injury to a Class B felony and vehicular homicide in a posted construction zone where the victim was an employee of the department of transportation to a Class C felony. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 2. by *Brooks K.

House Bill No. 2136 -- Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities - As introduced, expands eligibility for new and vacated beds in ICF/MR facilities to individuals from the home and community based services waivers and the waiting list for individuals with intellectual disabilities under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Section 71-5-105(b)(2). by *Brooks K.

House Bill No. 2137 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, allows full-time law enforcement officers and firefighters to enroll in one course tuition-free at any state-supported college or university. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7. by *Brooks K.

House Bill No. 2138 -- Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, grants a reimbursement of 100 percent of local property taxes paid by any veteran determined to be 100 percent permanently and totally unemployable from a service-connected disability; grants a reimbursement of 50 percent of property taxes paid by any veteran who has a permanent and total service-connected disability and income less than \$30,000. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 7. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2139** -- Education - As introduced, requires all LEA personnel to verify that the LEA's policy on use of the Internet has been read prior to accepting an employment contract or at the renewal of an employment contract. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2140** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, creates the Reading Matters pilot program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 7. by *Brooks K.

House Bill No. 2141 -- Sentencing - As introduced, specifies that violations of drug-free school zones that occur when schools are not in session for five consecutive days or more are not subject to enhanced and mandatory minimum sentences. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-432. by *Gilmore.

***House Bill No. 2142** -- Appropriations - As introduced, appropriates \$100,000,000 from excess state tax revenues over collected in fiscal year 2014-2015 to the various counties to be used for county transportation projects; allocates funds in the same manner as county aid funding. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 54 and Title 67. by *Doss, *Harwell.

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***House Bill No. 2143** -- - As introduced, creates the office of the solicitor general. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 6. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2144** -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, excludes from the definition of marijuana, the cannabis plant, with less than 0.9 percent THC, including seeds, resins, and oils, if used by a four-year institution of higher education in the state as part of certain clinical research studies. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-402 and Chapter 936 of the Public Acts of 2014. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2145** -- Taxes, Litigation - As introduced, authorizes Rutherford County to levy an additional litigation tax to be used for construction and maintenance of a jail, workhouse, juvenile detention center, or courthouse project. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Womick.

***House Bill No. 2146** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, amends various firearms provisions, including permitting a person who is not otherwise prohibited from possessing a firearm to possess a firearm, openly or concealed, regardless of whether the person has a handgun permit. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 70. by *Womick.

***House Bill No. 2147** -- Education - As introduced, requires the principal of a school to allow a patriotic society time to recruit students to the society during school hours. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 3. by *Womick.

House Bill No. 2148 -- Students - As introduced, requires LEAs to provide students with certain periods of physical activity depending on grade level; deletes an obsolete reporting requirement. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2149 -- Veterans - As introduced, expands eligibility for a Fallen Heroes Medal to service members killed in attacks specifically targeting service members and under other circumstances. - Amends TCA Section 58-3-113. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2150 -- Finance and Administration, Dept. of - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Refugee Resettlement Oversight Act," which requires the department to enter into negotiations with the federal government to reacquire state administration of the refugee resettlement program, which is currently administered by Catholic Charities of Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 71. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2151 -- Energy - As introduced, creates the Tennessee energy policy council to make recommendations to the governor and general assembly on how to manage energy resources in this state. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 59; Title 60; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2152 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, expands authorization of all-terrain vehicles on certain portions of state highways in City of Rocky Top in Anderson County. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-185. by *Ragan.

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House Bill No. 2153 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, permits licensees whose licenses from a health-related board have expired to obtain reinstatement on the basis of a plan developed by the department of health for periodic payment of past due renewal fees and unattained continuing education instead of the current requirement of payment of all past due fees before reinstatement. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2154 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, beginning January 1, 2017, reduces the Hall income tax from six percent to five percent for taxpayers who are veterans with service-connected disabilities. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2155 -- Taxes, Litigation - As introduced, authorizes a county legislative body to use revenue from certain county litigation taxes for substance abuse prevention purposes if approved by 2/3 vote of the county legislative body. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2156 -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, requires payments made under the property tax relief program to disabled veterans to be based on a sliding scale of income; removes the income limit for disabled veterans; requires the property value on which property tax relief payments are calculated for senior citizens, persons with low income, or disabled veterans to be raised annually in accordance with inflation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2157 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, specifies due process requirements for students of public higher education institutions in disciplinary proceedings involving allegations of sexual violence or other criminal activity. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2158 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, allows TCRS members who served in the armed forces during certain periods of armed conflict to establish retirement credit for the military service under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Section 8-34-605. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2159 -- Fees - As introduced, makes permanent the \$2.00 increases to the filing fees charged by court clerks and data fee entry chargeable by clerks that are scheduled to expire July 1, 2016. - Amends Chapter 1039 of the Public Acts of 2012. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2160 -- Education - As introduced, authorizes LEAs to use the ACT and ACT Aspire suite of assessments instead of the TCAP, TNReady, and end of course exams. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Ragan.

House Bill No. 2161 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, deletes a definition of a nonexistent scholarship. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9. by *Gravitt.

***House Bill No. 2162** -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, removes annual income limit of \$60,000 for disabled veterans seeking property tax relief; increases disabled veteran's reimbursement amount from \$100,000 to \$175,000 of the full market value of veteran's residence. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 7. by *Windle.

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House Bill No. 2163 -- Soil Conservation - As introduced, makes various changes to state soil conservation committee and soil conservation districts; adds ex officio member to committee; clarifies the duties of the committee and districts; establishes a new process for filling vacancies of district supervisors; authorizes districts to borrow money. - Amends TCA Section 5-9-106; Title 9, Chapter 21 and Title 43. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2164** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, requires a law enforcement officer to provide to a person who is issued an electronic traffic citation an opportunity to read the electronic citation and a paper copy of the electronic citation after it is signed. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 2. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2165** -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, authorizes persons issued commercial driver licenses bearing hazardous materials endorsements to elect not to renew the endorsement; permits the person to notify the department of safety of the nonrenewal by mail, telephone, or electronically; prohibits the persons from being required to appear in person at driver license stations for related purposes. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2166** -- Public Records - As introduced, increases the threshold amount from \$1000 to \$2000 for a person convicted of felony forgery to be eligible for records expunction. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2167** -- Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, changes the venue for proceedings for the confiscation and forfeiture of equipment used in any rock harvesting operation to which a stop-work order has been issued from chancery court in Davidson County or any other county where part of the operations occurred to only Davidson County chancery court. - Amends TCA Title 59 and Title 69, Chapter 3. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2168** -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, specifies that it is not an offense to take a cormorant in this state and that state resources may not be used to enforce any prohibition against taking cormorants in this state. - Amends TCA Title 70. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2169** -- Hazardous Materials - As introduced, adds certain recyclers to the list of parties who are exempt from liability under the Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1983. - Amends TCA Section 58-2-604 and Section 68-212-202(a)(4)(E). by *Hawk.

House Bill No. 2170 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, clarifies that land ownership alone is not enough to qualify a landowner as a regular harbinger of a dog even if the landowner gave permission to a third person to keep the dog on the land. - Amends TCA Section 44-8-413. by *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2171** -- Lottery, Corporation - As introduced, requires posting and archiving of annual reports on TELC's web page. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 51, Part 1. by *Doss.

***House Bill No. 2172** -- Estates - As introduced, requires that waivers that excuse a personal representative from filing court accountings be sworn by the distributees of the residue file. - Amends TCA Title 30 and Title 35. by *Doss.

***House Bill No. 2173** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, allows a motor vehicle to be operated, or to be equipped with, an integrated electronic display visible to the operator while

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the motor vehicle's autonomous technology is engaged. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8 and Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 1. by *Matlock.

***House Bill No. 2174** -- Emergency Communications Districts - As introduced, requires the annual report by the board of directors for an emergency communications district on its activities to be submitted by December 1 of each year; expands the recipients of the report from the governor and the speakers of the senate and the house to the governor and each member of the general assembly; requires the annual report to include any suggestions for amendments to the Emergency Communications District Law. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 9; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Matlock, *Calfee.

***House Bill No. 2175** -- Marriage - As introduced, increases from three days to nine days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2176** -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, requires the chief officer of each applicable agency to file an annual report with the TBI indicating the number of seizures in the preceding year, how many resulted in forfeiture warrants or settlement agreements, and the total revenue derived from sale of forfeited property; requires TBI to submit an aggregate report to the members of the general assembly by January 31. - Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 40. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2177** -- TennCare - As introduced, sets limits on the use of factors not under the control of a physician in determining reimbursement in an alternative payment system. - Amends TCA Title 71. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2178** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, removes provision extending the registration period until March 31, 1997, for registration plates for freight vehicles that expired on February 28, 1997; replaces "handicapped drivers" with "disabled drivers" in provisions related to registration plates for such drivers. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2179 -- Health Care - As introduced, authorizes a qualified physician assistant to evaluate and provide care to a youth athlete who suffered, or is suspected to have suffered, a concussion or head injury during the course of a school youth athletic activity. - Amends TCA Section 68-55-501. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2180** -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, removes termination date of July 1, 2016, from the County Bridge Relief Act of 2014; permanently authorizes counties to use an unexpended balance of state-aid bridge grant funds to pay the local share of project costs for replacing or improving county bridges. - Amends TCA Section 54-4-507. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2181 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes off-highway vehicles on State Route 167 in Johnson County from Roan Creek Campground to Doe Mountain. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 25, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2182 -- Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, extends time eligible taxpayers may apply for a refund or present a credit voucher for credit on their taxes from within

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35 days from the date taxes in the jurisdiction become delinquent for that year to within 40 days from that date. - Amends TCA Title 6 and Title 67. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2183 -- Education - As introduced, requires TSAC to annually prepare a status report for the governor and general assembly on the Tennessee HOPE foster child tuition grant program. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2184 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, mandates the state board return to the standards for the study of comparative world religions in the sixth and seventh grades to those in place during the 2013–2014 school year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2185** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, removes restriction on medium speed vehicles that they must be operated on roads with posted speed limits of 40 mph or less; authorizes vehicles with top speeds over 30 mph to be classified as medium speed vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2186** -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, encourages LEAs to select textbooks for economics that contain information about student loans and home mortgages. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2187 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, creates a Class 2 offense for a series LLC to contribute to political campaign committees. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10; Title 2, Chapter 19 and Title 48, Chapter 249. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2188** -- Marriage - As introduced, increases from three days to four days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2189** -- Animal Cruelty and Abuse - As introduced, specifies that animal owners may record inspections of their animals. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 43; Title 44; Title 53 and Title 63, Chapter 12. by *Matheny.

***House Bill No. 2190** -- Schools, Home - As introduced, requires schools to provide notice of the school's administration of the AP and PSAT/NMSQT examinations of the availability of the AP and PSAT/NMSQT examinations, any financial assistance for low income students, and schools where a home school student may take the AP and PSAT/NMSQT examinations. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30. by *Matheny.

House Bill No. 2191 -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires the TCRS to divest direct holdings in companies that have substantial current operations in Iran, as determined by the list of companies identified in quarterly reports submitted to the council on pensions and insurance under present law. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 24; Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36; Title 8, Chapter 37; Title 8, Chapter 5 and Title 9. by *Matheny.

House Bill No. 2192 -- Emergency Communications Districts - As introduced, extends the date by which TACIR shall report to the joint committee on government operations on the 911 surcharge and 911 system from September 15, 2017, to September 15, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 86. by *Matheny.

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***House Bill No. 2193** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, requires all court records be expunged within 60 days and the restoration of a person's status if a case is dismissed or an informal adjustment without adjudication is granted; allows a person adjudicated unruly to petition the juvenile court for expunction. - Amends TCA Section 37-1-153. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2194** -- Workers Compensation - As introduced, allows a court to apportion fault to an employer who covered an employee under workers' compensation when such employee brings an action against a third-party tortfeasor and reduces the employer's subrogation recovery to the extent such employer has allocated fault. - Amends TCA Title 50; Title 56 and Title 62. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2195** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, requires a person who disseminates smoking paraphernalia to display either a sign with the international circle and slash symbolizing the prohibition of selling tobacco to minors or another permitted sign stating that state law prohibits the sale of tobacco products to minors. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 38 and Title 39. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2196** -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, beginning 2021, regions will no longer receive credit against the 25 percent waste reduction and diversion goal for landfilling construction waste in Class III and IV landfills. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Gilmore.

***House Bill No. 2197** -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, requires the commissioner of environment and conservation to conduct a study to define the processing of organic waste and incorporate the findings and recommendations into the state's comprehensive solid waste management plan. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Gilmore.

***House Bill No. 2198** -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, directs the department of environment and conservation, in conjunction with the general assembly and other entities to compile a report and any recommendations for legislation on services to be utilized in the diversion of municipal solid waste in certain counties by January 1, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Gilmore.

***House Bill No. 2199** -- Alcohol Offenses, Motor Vehicles - As introduced, requires arresting agency to send fingerprint cards for DUI and other vehicular impairment offense arrests to TBI within seven days of arrest for submission to NCIC and requires the clerks to send DUI convictions to TBI within five days of conviction. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 55. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 2200** -- Education - As introduced, makes various revisions to the ASD, including requiring schools assigned to the ASD on or after July 1, 2016, be in the bottom 2.5 percent of schools. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3 and Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 6. by *Dunn, *Parkinson.

***House Bill No. 2201** -- State Employees - As introduced, enacts the "Right to Earn a Living Act." - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 38; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 67. by *Daniel.

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***House Bill No. 2202** -- Public Officials - As introduced, authorizes TBI to independently investigate cases of alleged criminal misconduct in office by a public servant upon request of law enforcement or TBI's own initiative; creates a special prosecutor panel to whom TBI reports and who may appoint a special prosecutor to prosecute the public official if the appropriate district attorney general declines to prosecute. - Amends TCA Title 38. by *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 2203** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, that the commissioner have a minimum of a bachelor of arts or science degree from an accredited college or university. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 4 and Title 49. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2204** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, allows, in regard to computing a deduction from business tax, proceeds from the sale of meals obtained through reduced-priced meal programs to also be included when calculating proceeds of the sale of meals to elementary and secondary school students and school employees. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4. by *Holt.

House Bill No. 2205 -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, extends from 10 days to 10 business days the amount of time in which an operator has to file a request for a hearing with regard to a hold order placed by the commissioner of agriculture on any food that is in violation of the Tennessee Retail Food Safety Act. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 68. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2206** -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, authorizes the department of health to require certain prescription drug manufacturers to disclose price and cost information; authorizes the department of health to set maximum prices for certain prescription drugs. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 71. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2207** -- Health Care - As introduced, requires disclosure to governmental entities of certain health claims information derived from group health plans. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 56. by *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2208 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the TBI to report to the general assembly by March 1 annually the number of Tennessee handgun carry permit holders who are also on the no-fly list maintained by the FBI. - Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 39. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2209** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to create a report regarding cybersecurity that includes, at a minimum, a summary explaining necessary improvements to protect state data. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 10 and Title 38. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2210** -- Naming and Designating - As introduced, requires, beginning July 1, 2016, requested naming or designating of state buildings be approved by the state building commission. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 12. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2211** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, permits the AOC to submit the annual report to the general assembly regarding compliance by the courts within the time limits established for capital cases and the reason for noncompliance by electronic delivery. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Powell.

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***House Bill No. 2212** -- Labor and Workforce Development, Dept. of - As introduced, requires any report issued by the economic council on women on the wage disparities between men and women, and minorities and non-minorities, in the same job classifications to be transmitted by the commissioner to the governor, to the speakers of both houses of the general assembly, to each member of the general assembly, and to each library designated as a depository of state reports and documents. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 12; Title 45; Title 47; Title 50; Title 56; Title 62; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67 and Title 68. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2213** -- General Assembly - As introduced, restores the charitable gaming oversight committee, consisting of three members of each chamber of the general assembly, to be appointed by their respective speaker, and to study issues related to the Charitable Gaming Implementation Law. - Amends TCA Title 3. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2214** -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, increases from 10 days to 15 days the number of days following the service of notice before a food service establishment permit is revoked if no request for a hearing is filed. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 8, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 14, Part 7. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2215** -- State Government - As introduced, creates a task force to study the feasibility of state government utilizing an open data policy. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 10 and Title 12. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2216** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, deletes requirement that the child safety seat for a child age one through three weighing more than 20 pounds be secured in a forward-facing position. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 6. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2217** -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, increases the number of interested persons necessary to petition an agency requesting the adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule from five or more to 10 or more. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2218** -- Local Government, General - As introduced, changes the date an ordinance affecting the operation of trains within the limits of a municipality becomes effective, from 15 days after to 20 days after the ordinance is served upon the registered agent of the railroad operating such train. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6 and Title 7. by *Favors.

***House Bill No. 2219** -- Welfare - As introduced, requires the department of health to make its monthly summary statement showing the amount paid and total number of persons assisted available on the department web site. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Favors.

***House Bill No. 2220** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, requires the commissioner of revenue to annually report the amount of disaster relief refunds issued by the department. - Amends TCA Title 67. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2221** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of agriculture to distribute the required annual report titled "Annual Report on the Quality of Kerosene and Motor Fuel in Tennessee" in an electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39; Title 45; Title 46; Title 47; Title 48; Title 56; Title 62; Title 63; Title 65 and Title 66. by *Armstrong.

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House Bill No. 2222 -- Handgun Permits - As introduced, prohibits a person with a handgun permit from Virginia or any other state that refuses to allow Tennessee handgun carry permit holders to lawfully carry handguns in that state to lawfully carry in this state. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Hulsey.

House Bill No. 2223 -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, requires a utility district, municipality, county, authority, or other public corporation providing sewer service to enter into a written contract with a public water utility to obtain and use the public water utility's meter readings to bill its sewer service customers. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 10 and Title 65. by *Hulsey.

***House Bill No. 2224** -- Marriage - As introduced, increases from three days to ten days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Hulsey.

***House Bill No. 2225** -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, authorizes the chief medical officer of the department of health to implement a state-wide collaborative pharmacy practice agreement for opioid antagonist therapy with pharmacists. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 1. by *Terry.

***House Bill No. 2226** -- Firefighters - As introduced, creates a three-year pilot program to be developed by the state fire marshal's office that provides grants to volunteer firefighters. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 24. by *Pitts, *Farmer, *Carr .

***House Bill No. 2227** -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, authorizes department of revenue to include an insert in vehicle registration renewal notices about the availability of sales tax exemptions on purchases of vehicles by service members and adaptive equipment by disabled veterans. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *McCormick, *White M.

***House Bill No. 2228** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, establishes a new method by which a captive insurance company may redomesticate to this state; requires legal actions brought against a protected cell captive insurance company to specify which protected cells are a party to a suit; makes changes with regard to the taxation of certain captive insurance companies and those who own such companies. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Zachary.

House Bill No. 2229 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, prohibits school districts and state special schools from paying through payroll deduction their professional employees' dues to a professional employee association. - Amends TCA Section 8-23-204 and Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 6. by *Spivey.

***House Bill No. 2230** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, clarifies that tuition credits or refunds during military service are to be given to students called to active duty while attending Tennessee colleges of applied technology as well as state universities and community colleges. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Spivey.

***House Bill No. 2231** -- Marriage - As introduced, reduces from three days to one day from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Spivey.

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***House Bill No. 2232** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, entitles a general partnership to compute a job tax credit as if the general partnership was subject to franchise and excise taxes; makes other various related revisions. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 11, Part 2; Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21. by *Carr .

***House Bill No. 2233** -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, revises the standards recommendation committee. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49. by *Lollar.

House Bill No. 2234 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, enacts the "Asbestos Bankruptcy Trust Claims Transparency Act" and the "Asbestos Claims Priorities Act." - Amends TCA Title 28 and Title 29, Chapter 34. by *Lundberg.

***House Bill No. 2235** -- Real Property - As introduced, increases, from 90 days to 115 days, the period in which the owner of property determined to be blighted or deteriorated has to abate the conditions. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 13; Title 66 and Title 67. by *Cooper, *Towns, *Akbari, *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2236** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, allows the department to use available public funds, in addition to private funds, to make community school grants. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 24. by *Cooper, *Towns, *Akbari, *Camper.

House Bill No. 2237 -- General Assembly - As introduced, requires that legislation containing a mandated health benefit that excludes TennCare or any state insurance program from the application of the mandate be referred to the department of commerce and insurance and the bureau of TennCare in order that certain information may be evaluated and reported back to the appropriate standing committees. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Kane.

***House Bill No. 2238** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, increases the time alcoholic beverages may be sold at certain theaters from one hour prior to, during, and one hour after the performance to 90 minutes prior to, during, and 90 minutes after the performance. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4. by *McManus, *Sargent.

***House Bill No. 2239** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits an insurance policy that provides benefits for anti-cancer medications that are injected or intravenously administered by a healthcare provider and anti-cancer medications that are patient administered from requiring a higher copayment, deductible, or coinsurance amount. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23. by *Lamberth, *Casada, *Littleton, *Powers, *Kumar, *Brooks K, *Terry, *Powell, *McCormick, *White M, *Butt, *Farmer, *Towns, *Beck, *Doss, *Akbari, *Camper, *Kane, *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2240** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, increases the amount of the fine that may be imposed for the suspension or revocation of a permit to serve alcohol for consumption on premises; authorizes the alcoholic beverage commission to impose a fine and require employee training in lieu of suspending or revoking a license under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Lamberth.

***House Bill No. 2241** -- Handgun Permits - As introduced, requires the department of safety to reduce the initial application fee for a handgun carry permit by 25 percent for applicant

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who has relocated from Virginia to Tennessee within two years of applying for the permit. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351. by *VanHuss.

***House Bill No. 2242** -- Annexation - As introduced, deletes the authority to annex by resolution certain territory for any county having a population according to the most recent decennial census that is greater than 44.5 percent and 50,000 of its population in the preceding decennial census. - Amends TCA Section 6-51-104. by *Van Huss.

***House Bill No. 2243** -- Annexation - As introduced, authorizes the notice of the adoption of the plan of services to be published on the newspaper's web site in addition to the newspaper of general circulation. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51. by *Van Huss.

***House Bill No. 2244** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, clarifies that privately owned trailers are exempt from registration, and trailers used in the furtherance of a business must be registered in the same manner as commercial freight trailers, semi-trailers, and pole trailers are registered. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Van Huss.

***House Bill No. 2245** -- Marriage - As introduced, reduces from three days to two days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Rogers.

***House Bill No. 2246** -- Marriage - As introduced, increases from three days to six days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Womick.

House Bill No. 2247 -- Public Officials - As introduced, allows governmental entities to publish notices on their web sites in lieu of other methods of publication. - Amends TCA Title 1 and Title 8, Chapter 21. by *Van Huss.

House Bill No. 2248 -- Budget Procedures - As introduced, prohibits state funds from being expended in support of the office for diversity and inclusion at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; diverts such funding to a program for placing decals of the national motto on local and state law enforcement vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 49. by *Van Huss.

***House Bill No. 2249** -- Welfare - As introduced, requires certain amounts of work, community service, education, or job-seeking activities for recipients of food assistance (SNAP) unless certain exemptions apply. - Amends TCA Title 71. by *Van Huss.

***House Bill No. 2250** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires department to publish its annual report concerning virtual schools on the department's web site. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Van Huss.

House Bill No. 2251 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows a student, who has completed at least 60 hours of coursework and is taking a required course for a bachelor's degree designed to train industry professionals in the production of fermented or distilled food or beverage products, to taste alcoholic beverages as part of instruction in the required course, under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 57. by *McManus.

***House Bill No. 2252** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, removes the requirement that affiliates of the direct writer of insurance policies bearing the actual risk of loss under a reinsurance arrangement must qualify, on a consolidated basis, for premium tax reductions themselves had they been the direct writer in order for the direct writer to receive the reduction. - Amends TCA Section 56-4-210. by *McManus.

House Bill No. 2253 -- State Employees - As introduced, prohibits commissioner of human resources from establishing minimum qualifications for any position in preferred service that requires an applicant to currently be employed by the state. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30. by *Hazlewood.

***House Bill No. 2254** -- Gambling - As introduced, creates an advisory task force to review games of skill, including, but not limited to, online fantasy football, and recommend any necessary statutory revisions to the consumer protection and criminal laws that should be made to protect consumers when paying to participate in a game of skill. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39 and Title 47. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2255** -- Livestock - As introduced, creates a 21-member task force to study the equine industry; the task force will make a report and cease to exist by January 15, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 43; Title 44 and Title 63, Chapter 12. by *Powers.

***House Bill No. 2256** -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, enacts the "Pawnbroker Restitution Act"; clarifies that a pawnbroker is not required to relinquish an item to a claimant without a court order; requires 10-day period before a claimant may petition a court or a holding order may be placed on such items; changes from discretionary to mandatory a law enforcement officer's authority to place a hold order on such items if there is probable cause to believe the item is stolen or misappropriated. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 6. by *Powers.

***House Bill No. 2257** -- Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, requires the commissioner of financial institutions to submit to the governor and general assembly no later than January 15 of each even-numbered year a biennial analysis and recapitulation of biennial reports submitted to the commissioner by title pledge lenders. - Amends TCA Title 45. by *Powers.

***House Bill No. 2258** -- Special License Plates - As introduced, enacts the "2016 Police Support Act," which allocates 50 percent of proceeds from personalization of plates and 20 percent of proceeds from sale of new specialty earmarked plates to the police pay supplement fund. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 20, Part 1; Section 9-4-204; Section 38-8-111; Title 55, Chapter 6, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Powers.

House Bill No. 2259 -- Tickets, Admission - As introduced, requires the TBI to submit to each member of the general assembly an annual report by December 1 of each year of the number of violations of the offense of interference with operations of ticket seller; authorizes such annual report to be submitted in conjunction with any other report submitted by the TBI to each member of the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 47; Title 62 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Powers.

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***House Bill No. 2260** -- Education - As introduced, requires referees or officiates of interscholastic athletic events to submit to a criminal background investigation and provide a fingerprint sample. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 4. by *Forgety.

***House Bill No. 2261** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, opens membership of the directors of schools association to include school system-wide supervisory staff, principals, and assistant principals; allows membership dues to be set in bylaws instead of constitution. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2, Part 21. by *Forgety.

House Bill No. 2262 -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, clarifies that under the present requirement that a pharmacist attempt to notify a prescriber if a generic equivalent has become available since the last dispensing of a prescription, the pharmacist may make such notification by phone, e-mail, or other method. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 2. by *Hicks.

House Bill No. 2263 -- Trusts - As introduced, authorizes a trustee to establish a single trust fund for all pre-need funeral contracts issued by multiple pre-need sellers, instead of having to establish a trust fund for each pre-need seller. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 5, Part 4. by *Hicks.

House Bill No. 2264 -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, authorizes natural gas utility districts in Hawkins County to provide funding to chambers of commerce and economic and community organizations pursuant to a resolution adopted by the governing body. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82. by *Hicks.

House Bill No. 2265 -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, at a civil forfeiture hearing where the seizing agency does not meet the burden of proof and the property is ordered returned to the claimant, requires the hearing officer to determine if the seizing agency acted in good faith in making the seizure. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40; Title 53 and Title 55. by *Alexander.

***House Bill No. 2266** -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes the City of Decherd, by ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote, to levy an occupancy tax on the privilege of staying in any hotel or motel in Decherd; requires that all proceeds received by the municipality from the tax be used for capital outlay improvements. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Alexander.

House Bill No. 2267 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, permits the controlled substances database advisory committee to transmit its required annual reports in electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 39; Title 40; Title 43; Title 50; Title 53, Chapter 10; Title 53, Chapter 11; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2268** -- Cemeteries - As introduced, creates a nine-member task force to make recommendations for statutory changes concerning funding for community exempt cemeteries; task force will make a report and cease to exist by January 1, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 46. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2269** -- State Employees - As introduced, extends from 30 days to 45 days the period by which the appointing authority of a state agency is required to appoint an

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applicant to fill a vacant position after being referred a list of eligible candidates by the commissioner of human resources. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30 and Title 49. by *Dunn.

***House Bill No. 2270** -- Probation and Parole - As introduced, allows the court that places a person on misdemeanor probation, if supervision would be extended or family or child support obligations could not be met because of the supervision fees and court costs and fines and other fees, to declare the person to be indigent. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 16; Title 37; Title 40; Title 41 and Title 55. by *Turner.

***House Bill No. 2271** -- General Assembly - As introduced, creates a special joint committee to study issues relating to the investigation and prosecution of unsolved civil rights crimes and cold cases from the civil rights era. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Turner, *Akbari, *Hardaway, *Miller, *Towns, *Love, *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2272 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, changes the date by which the Tennessee Promise scholarship community service requirement for a fall semester must be fulfilled from August 1 to July 1, beginning with the 2017-2018 academic year. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-708. by *Turner.

House Bill No. 2273 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, prohibits political subdivisions from making substantial changes to retirement and pension plans for employees who are 65 years of age or older, unless those employees approve it or state or federal law mandates the change. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8 and Title 49. by *Turner.

***House Bill No. 2274** -- Real Property - As introduced, requires, with certain exceptions, a seller of residential real property to disclose in writing to the buyer of the property information relating to radon concentrations in the dwelling. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 5, Part 2. by *Turner.

***House Bill No. 2275** -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare to annually report in writing to the chair of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the chair of the health committee of the house concerning the impact of 2014 Public Chapter 926, which extends Medicaid eligibility to inmates in certain circumstances, on the TennCare program, correctional facilities, and inmates. - Amends TCA Title 41 and Title 71. by *Turner.

House Bill No. 2276 -- Sentencing - As introduced, eliminates the death sentence as a penalty for first degree murder. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Turner.

House Bill No. 2277 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, requires the commissioner of labor and workforce development to set the state's minimum hourly wage rate at not less than \$10.10 per hour, adjusted annually to reflect inflation in accordance with the consumer price index; establishes a cause of action for employees if employers violate the state's minimum hourly wage rate; sets the wage rate paid to blind persons employed by the state to the greater of the state minimum hourly wage rate or the federal minimum wage. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 13; Title 39; Title 50; Title 67 and Title 71. by *Turner.

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***House Bill No. 2278** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes the department to electronically report to the commissioner of correction mental health examination findings of inmates eligible for release when such examinations are requested by the commissioner. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 37; Title 40 and Title 41. by *Turner, *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2279 -- Courts, Municipal - As introduced, extends the time permitted for appeal of a city court judgment from 10 calendar days, excluding Sundays, to 10 business days. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 21; Title 6, Chapter 54; Title 16, Chapter 17; Title 16, Chapter 18 and Title 55. by *Turner.

***House Bill No. 2280** -- Planning, Public - As introduced, increases the maximum number of members of a local planning commission from 10 to 15. - Amends TCA Title 13. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2281** -- Planning, Public - As introduced, extends to all counties authorization for interested parties to appeal municipal planning commission decisions to the chief legislative body of the municipality having jurisdiction over zoning matters; presently authorization for such appeals is limited to Hamilton and Knox counties. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 4 and Title 27, Chapter 9. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2282** -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, makes the present law prohibition against hunting on public lands within 100 yards of a dwelling without the owner's consent applicable to private lands as well. - Amends TCA Title 70. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2283** -- Political Parties - As introduced, requires statewide political party to hold primary election for nominations for judge, chancellor, district attorney general, and public defender in multi-county judicial districts. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 13. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2284** -- Children - As introduced, recreates the select committee on children and youth. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 37 and Title 68. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2285** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, makes it an offense for a prisoner to have sexual contact with certain penal institution staff; imposes increased penalties for sexual offenses committed against certain employees or volunteers of a penal institution; requires the department to provide a report of sexual offenses that occur in all correctional institutions; protects employees who report or cooperate with the department from retaliation or adverse action. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5; Title 39, Chapter 16, Part 4 and Title 41. by *Jones.

***House Bill No. 2286** -- Capitol - As introduced, prohibits removal or relocation of any statue, bust, or monument on the second floor of the state capitol unless authorized by joint resolution of the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 4. by *Sexton J.

***House Bill No. 2287** -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, requires the wildlife resources director to issue up to eight four-day licenses to hunt deer and turkey in Lewis County during the designated seasons on three occasions per year; the licenses will cost \$10.00 each. - Amends TCA Title 70. by *Byrd.

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***House Bill No. 2288** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, authorizes certain off-highway vehicles, which have top speeds over 35 mph and nonstraddle seating for up to four passengers, to be operated on county roads; authorizes issuance of off-highway license plates for each category; establishes equipment and safety requirements for the vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Byrd.

House Bill No. 2289 -- Courts, General Sessions - As introduced, permits county that establishes a new division of general sessions court to increase the litigation tax from \$6.00 to \$9.00 for the purpose of funding the new division of court; permits county to use fines and penalties from enforcing litter ordinances and regulations. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 15. by *Howell.

***House Bill No. 2290** -- Welfare - As introduced, enacts the "Act to Restore Hope, Opportunity, and Prosperity for Everyone"; imposes a variety of restrictions and requirements on the food stamp, TANF, and TennCare programs in order to combat fraud. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 36 and Title 71. by *Howell.

House Bill No. 2291 -- Clerks, Court - As introduced, extends for four years the current \$2.00 filing fee charged by clerks and data fee entry chargeable by clerks, except in certain cases brought by the state and state agencies; extension effective until July 1, 2020, unless continued by general assembly. - Amends TCA Section 8-21-401; Section 8-21-409 and Chapter 1039 of the Public Acts of 2012. by *Howell.

***House Bill No. 2292** -- Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, enacts the "Dam Safety Act" to prohibit the issuance of a permit to conduct surface mining on land that is located within one mile of a dam operated by the U.S. army corps of engineers. - Amends TCA Title 59; Title 69, Chapter 11 and Title 69, Chapter 3. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2293** -- Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, prohibits the issuance of a permit in relation to the operation of a rock quarry on land that is located within 2,000 feet of a property line of a park or community education center, 500 feet of any other property line, or 1,200 feet of a residential structure. - Amends TCA Title 59; Title 69, Chapter 11 and Title 69, Chapter 3. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2294** -- Safety - As introduced, authorizes the metropolitan Davidson County government to regulate blasting; provided, that the local regulations are no less stringent than the state's blasting regulations. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 59, Chapter 8 and Title 68, Chapter 105. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2295** -- Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, adds limestone to the definition of "mineral" for purposes of applying the requirements of the Tennessee Mineral Surface Mining Law of 1972 to limestone; prohibits the issuance of a permit to conduct surface mining on land that is located within 2,000 feet of a property line of a park or community education center, 500 feet of any other property line, 1,200 feet of a residential structure, or one mile of a dam. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7; Title 59; Title 69, Chapter 11 and Title 69, Chapter 3. by *Beck.

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***House Bill No. 2296** -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, authorizes municipalities, instead of all cities and towns, to employ deputy property assessors to assist and advise the property assessor. - Amends TCA Title 67. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2297** -- Appropriations - As introduced, appropriates 1/3 of excess state tax revenues over-collected in fiscal year 2014-2015 to the Tennessee mass transit fund to be used for public mass transportation projects; appropriates 2/3 of such excess revenues to the department of transportation for backlog transportation road projects. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 54 and Title 67. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2298** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, establishes confidentiality and accessibility of assessment reports compiled by the juvenile court in Davidson County. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2299** -- Sexual Offenses - As introduced, creates a Class E felony offense for the knowing disclosure of nonconsensual pornography. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Beck.

***House Bill No. 2300** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases from 300 feet to 350 feet the distance required for a truck of more than one and one-half ton rated capacity to approach any other truck of like or greater capacity proceeding in the same direction on any highway outside municipal limits, except in overtaking and passing or unless one or both trucks are stopped or disabled. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2301** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, removes the requirement that in order for a retail food store to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises that the premises and business be separate and distinct from the retail food store. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 8 and Title 57, Chapter 4. by *Marsh.

***House Bill No. 2302** -- Welfare - As introduced, limits cash withdrawals to \$25.00 daily for cash benefits under the temporary assistance to needy families program with electronic benefits transfer card from an automated teller machine or a point-of-sale terminal; authorizes commissioner of human services to raise or rescind the cash limit to comply with federal law or maintain federal funding. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 3. by *Marsh.

***House Bill No. 2303** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, enacts the "Commercial Dog Breeders Registration Act"; makes selling of dogs by unlicensed breeders, misrepresenting the condition of a dog for sale or altering or falsifying a dog's health certificate a consumer protection violation. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 62. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2304** -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows Blackberry Farms to hold a manufacturer's license or nonmanufacturer nonresident seller permit in addition to holding a license for consumption of alcoholic beverages on premises. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2305** -- Financial Responsibility Law - As introduced, beginning January 1, 2017, increases the minimum single policy limit, cash deposit, and bond amount required for proof of insurance under the Tennessee Financial Responsibility Law of 1977. - Amends TCA Section 55-12-102. by *Kane.

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House Bill No. 2306 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, permits undergraduate students to attend public institutions of higher education, except the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, without payment of out-of-state tuition and fees if they are United States citizens and meet certain academic requirements. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Brooks H.

House Bill No. 2307 -- Annexation - As introduced, deletes the limitation allowing noncontiguous annexation by resolution to occur in only a county having a population according to the most recent decennial census that is greater than 44.5 percent and 50,000 of its population in the preceding decennial census. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51, Part 1. by *Eldridge.

***House Bill No. 2308** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner to remove a school from the ASD and return the school to the LEA if the school fails to improve student performance and remains on the priority list for five years. - Amends TCA Section 49-1-614. by *Parkinson.

***House Bill No. 2309** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, punishes as Class C misdemeanor or Class E felony reckless endangerment the discharge of a firearm without lawful authority at a public gathering or event at which 25 or more people are present. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-103 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Parkinson.

***House Bill No. 2310** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, permits a metropolitan government or municipality to decriminalize possession of one ounce of marijuana or less by referendum. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 7. by *Parkinson, *Gilmore, *Cooper, *Stewart, *Love, *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2311** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, limits the definition of infamous crimes for which a person's rights of citizenship shall be revoked to include only violent felonies. - Amends TCA Section 22-1-102; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Parkinson, *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2312** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to list priority schools by county and rank the schools in order of the highest composite proficiency rate to the lowest rate when publishing the list on the state report card. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 6. by *Parkinson, *Gilmore, *Cooper, *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2313 -- Financial Disclosure - As introduced, prohibits certain public employees and officials from owning shares of stocks or investments in privately held prison companies on or after January 1, 2017; requires such employees or officials who own holdings or stock in privately held prison companies prior to January 1, 2017, to disclose such investments or holdings and divest of such stock or investments by January 1, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 67. by *Parkinson, *Hardaway, *Love, *Powell, *Miller, *Towns, *Cooper, *Shepard, *Gilmore, *Stewart, *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2314** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, changes the size requirements of the posted notice regarding criminal violations for a metals recycling facility. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Parkinson.

***House Bill No. 2315** -- Cosmetology - As introduced, requires cosmetologists, manicurists, aestheticians, or natural hair stylists who obtain a license on or after July 1, 2016,

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to submit proof of compliance with continuing education hours within 60 days of their license renewal; permits the board to fund a scholarship program for cosmetology programs at publicly funded colleges, universities, and secondary schools. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 4. by *Parkinson.

House Bill No. 2316 -- Health Care - As introduced, establishes a stroke best practices and treatment guidelines task force under the department of health. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68. by *Ramsey, *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2317** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, enacts the "Kenneth and Madge Tullis, MD, Suicide Prevention Training Act of 2016"; establishes training requirements for certain medical professions related to suicide prevention. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Howell.

***House Bill No. 2318** -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, removes authority of the council for licensing hearing instrument specialists to waive written examination requirements for certain applicants; specifies that the national board for certification of hearing instrument sciences is no longer the accepted examination for licensure. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 17, Part 2. by *Johnson.

***House Bill No. 2319** -- Schools, Home - As introduced, requires a parent of any student who is withdrawn from school mid-school year to be home schooled to notify the director of schools of the parent's intention to home school the student. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-3050. by *Holsclaw.

***House Bill No. 2320** -- Taxes - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner to enter into an agreement with a taxpayer consenting to a tax refund claim being filed beyond the three-year period required by present law, if the taxpayer affirms the overpayment is the result of negligence or fraud by the taxpayer's accountant. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 1, Part 18 and Title 67, Chapter 1, Part 8. by *Holsclaw.

House Bill No. 2321 -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires the department of children's services to develop instructional guidelines for child safety training programs for members of professions that frequently deal with children who may be at risk of abuse; requires certain licensing boards to create child safety training programs; requires certain professionals to complete the appropriate child safety training program prior to license renewal. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 4; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 63, Chapter 9. by *Hardaway.

***House Bill No. 2322** -- Boards and Commissions - As introduced, requires boards and commissions that appoint executive directors to appoint persons from different grand divisions of this state on a rotating basis; exempts boards and commissions that are required to appoint executive directors who reside outside of this state. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 5; Title 62; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 69. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2323** -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, enacts the "Health Care Empowerment Act"; authorizes direct primary care agreements. - Amends TCA Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Kumar.

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***House Bill No. 2324** -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, establishes a state minimum wage for all employees of \$10.00 per hour. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2325** -- Personal Property - As introduced, prohibits any person or legal entity from reproducing, preparing derivative works from, distributing, or using digital or satellite transmission to perform a sound recording without the owner's express permission if the sound recording was initially fixed on or before February 15, 1972; creates a cause of action for the owner. - Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2326** -- Election Laws - As introduced, removes requirement that voter needs photograph identification prior to voting; restores former requirement that voter present identification for purpose of comparing signature on the application for ballot. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2327** -- Treasurer, State - As introduced, requires the department of the treasury and the department of education to determine the liability of LEAs, in which there are charter schools, for retirement benefits for employees not covered under the TCRS; permits an LEA, in which there is a charter school, to withhold from the per student expenditure the amount necessary to fund retirement benefits for those employees not under TCRS for which the LEA bears the financial obligation for retirement benefits. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 49. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2328** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner of health to report to the house health committee and senate health and welfare committee concerning impacts of hospital-acquired infections on or before February 1 of each year. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Sexton C.

***House Bill No. 2329** -- Education - As introduced, requires an LEA to post on its web site information about the state-mandated tests that will be administered in the upcoming year by no later than June 15, instead of July 15, each year. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Sexton C.

***House Bill No. 2330** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, imposes a fine of \$200 for parking violations on two-lane state highways where the illegally parked vehicle restricts access to emergency vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Sexton C.

***House Bill No. 2331** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, eliminates the requirement that a healthcare services provider be at a hospital or other qualified site for the service to be considered telehealth services for insurance purposes; requires health insurance entities to reimburse healthcare service providers at the same rate for telehealth services as for in-person encounters. - Amends TCA Section 56-7-1002. by *Sexton C.

***House Bill No. 2332** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, requires the board for licensing health care facilities to report to the chair of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the chair of the health committee of the house on or before January 15, 2017, concerning the need for central service technicians to be regulated in order to provide certified sterile processing in hospitals and related institutions. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Sexton C.

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***House Bill No. 2333** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, raises the certificate of need thresholds for modifications for hospitals and other facilities and for certain healthcare services; caps an applicant's examination fee at \$5,000. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68. by *Daniel.

House Bill No. 2334 -- Labor and Workforce Development, Dept. of - As introduced, encourages the department to study and develop a model program to provide financial incentives to businesses who hire persons convicted of felonies and under which the employee would remit to the department an amount from each paycheck during the period of participation in the program. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41 and Title 50. by *Shaw, *Pitts.

House Bill No. 2335 -- State Government - As introduced, eliminates requirement that a party remove a case to state court within 90 days after the complaint is filed if the Tennessee human rights commission determines there is reasonable cause to believe discrimination took place. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21. by *Shaw, *Favors, *Armstrong, *Stewart, *Camper, *Miller, *Pitts, *Jones.

House Bill No. 2336 -- Human Rights - As introduced, removes the requirement that a litigant file a claim arising under the jurisdiction of the human rights commission within 90 days after the commission issues a finding that there was reasonable cause to believe discrimination was found. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21. by *Shaw, *Favors, *Armstrong, *Stewart, *Camper, *Miller, *Pitts, *Jones.

House Bill No. 2337 -- Business Organizations - As introduced, revises various provisions pertaining to dissolution of certain business entities. - Amends TCA Title 48. by *Jenkins.

House Bill No. 2338 -- Courts - As introduced, requires a court to take certain steps to ensure that a child who has to testify in a court of law may do so in a child-friendly court. - Amends TCA Title 19; Title 20; Title 21; Title 24; Title 36; Title 37 and Title 40. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2339 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, requires each location used by a scrap metal dealer to pay a biennial fee of \$500 before registration or renewal in addition to the current biennial fee required for a motor vehicle dismantler and recycler. - Amends TCA Section 55-3-202 and Title 62, Chapter 9. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2340 -- Salaries and Benefits - As introduced, requires longevity pay for executive branch employees hired after June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Section 8-23-206. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2341 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, extends the present tuition discount program for children of full-time public school teachers to a child of a full-time active public school teacher who dies while the child is not enrolled in a public institution of higher learning. - Amends TCA Section 49-7-119. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2342 -- Wildlife Resources Commission - As introduced, specifies that ten years' experience as a wildlife officer may be substituted for the requirement of a bachelor's degree for a person to qualify for the position of wildlife officer with the wildlife resources agency. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 70. by *Calfee.

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House Bill No. 2343 -- Real Property - As introduced, authorizes a county, after obtaining property at a delinquent property tax sale, to evaluate the property and if the financial and environmental risks outweigh the value of the property, allows the chancellor to set aside the county's bid on such property. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 25. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2344 -- Charitable Institutions - As introduced, authorizes an organization to submit its annual form requesting exemption from certain charitable solicitations registration and filing requirements at the same time and to the same division within the secretary of state's office as its annual report; reduces time period for such organization to claim the exemption. - Amends TCA Title 48. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2345 -- Transitory Vendors - As introduced, requires the clerk to submit a report by July 1, 2016, and quarterly thereafter, to the office of local government; requires the report to identify applicants for a mobile vendor's permit who fail to provide the county clerk with the appropriate vendor and vehicle information. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 47; Title 48; Title 50; Title 53; Title 55; Title 62 and Title 67. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2346 -- Military - As introduced, confers civil immunity on a member of national guard who has a handgun carry permit, is authorized by the military to carry a personal handgun, and uses the handgun in justifiable self-defense. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 1. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2347 -- Public Records - As introduced, requires a local government entity to make records of proposals and statements that are received by the local government in response to a service request or a request for solicitation open for public inspection only after the contract award is announced. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504. by *Calfee.

***House Bill No. 2348** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, allows all employees, not just employees who are employed in the service of food and beverages, to waive the required thirty-minute unpaid lunch break. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2. by *Calfee.

***House Bill No. 2349** -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires a report of the quadrennial audit of the TCRS board of trustees to be available to members of the general assembly during business hours and to be furnished upon request. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 49. by *Calfee.

***House Bill No. 2350** -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the division of healthcare finance and administration, in administering the Tennessee healthcare innovation initiative to specifically include as an item in the general appropriations act to appropriate funds to implement any change in level of reward or penalty from the prior fiscal year imposed on healthcare providers in any episode of care when this change results in any fiscal effect on the TennCare program. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 71. by *Hicks, *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2351** -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, requires the commissioner of health to annually report to the health committee of the house and the health and welfare committee of the senate concerning revisions to the treatment guidelines and pain clinic guidelines. - Amends TCA Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Terry, *Williams.

House Bill No. 2352 -- Tickets, Admission - As introduced, enacts the "Fans Anti-Counterfeit Ticket (FACT) Act," which requires the registration of ticket brokers with the

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department of commerce and insurance; requires certain disclosures by ticket brokers; adds requirements and prohibitions with regard to the resale of tickets. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 47 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2353** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, clarifies that the age-restricted venue exception to the no smoking law applies only to persons entering such facilities other than employees. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Miller.

***House Bill No. 2354** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, clarifies that the annual summary of reports of state department and agency programs shall be submitted by the commissioner of labor and workforce development to the governor and the general assembly no later than March 1 of each year instead of annually. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2355 -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, adds the education committees to those committees who receive reports on the Tennessee job skills program; changes the report from annual to biennial. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2356 -- Health Care - As introduced, changes time within which uninsured or uninsurable TennCare enrollees must provide documentation of material changes of information disclosed in their initial application for TennCare coverage from 30 days to 15 days. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Miller.

***House Bill No. 2357** -- Lottery, Corporation - As introduced, recreates the select committee on the Tennessee education lottery corporation. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. by *Miller.

***House Bill No. 2358** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, extends from 10 days to 14 days the period by which a health club is required to notify the commissioner of commerce and insurance of any change in ownership or the sale of the health club. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Jernigan.

***House Bill No. 2359** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, creates a study committee within the general assembly to study juvenile use of firearms in criminal activity. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 39. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2360 -- Education - As introduced, prohibits virtual schools. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2361 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, requires prescribers to check the controlled substances database prior to each prescription of one of the controlled substances which triggers a check of the database. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2362 -- Children - As introduced, enacts the "Access to Pediatric Rare Disease Treatment Information Act"; provides for sharing of essential treatment information for children with cancer among certain health care institutions. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2363** -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, creates a study committee to study the feasibility of creating a public rating agency to rate securities independent of private sector rating agencies. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 9. by *Stewart.

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House Bill No. 2364 -- Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Scenic Vistas Protection Act" to prohibit the issuance of water quality permits for surface mining activities along ridgelines, subject to certain exceptions. - Amends TCA Title 59 and Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2365** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, requires that when neither the seller nor purchaser of a firearm is a licensed gun dealer, the transaction must be completed through a licensed gun dealer and the dealer must perform the same background check required for purchases from licensed gun dealers. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2366** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, creates Class C misdemeanor of advertising a firearm for sale if the seller intends to sell the firearm or does sell the firearm without conducting a background check on the buyer. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2367** -- Sentencing - As introduced, permits a defendant who is sentenced to life imprisonment to become release eligible after service of 60 percent of 60 years, and in no event less than 25 years including sentence reduction credits; permits a defendant convicted under prior law to request parole eligibility be determined pursuant to this act. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 2 and Section 40-35-501. by *Stewart, *White M.

House Bill No. 2368 -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, recreates the select oversight committee on corrections. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 40 and Title 41. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2369** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner of correction to develop criteria related to the work period and compensation for all correctional officers; requires the department to provide annual written report of correctional officer staffing levels. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 6 and Title 41. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2370** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, imposes increased penalties for assault and aggravated assault committed against correctional officers, guards, jailers, or other employees of a penal institution; requires the department to provide a report each month detailing the number of assaults that occur in all correctional institutions. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1 and Title 41. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2371** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, increases from 10 days to 15 days the time period within which a person may appeal the issuance, or refusal to issue, a certificate of title, discharge of a lien, or issuance of a new certificate of title. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 69. by *McManus.

***House Bill No. 2372** -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, makes various revisions to the Tennessee Disability Act, such as expanding the disability protections for employers subject to the Act, as required by federal law. - Amends TCA Section 8-50-103. by *Shaw.

***House Bill No. 2373** -- Barbers - As introduced, revises the provisions governing the licensure and certification for barbers and cosmetologists. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4. by *Love.

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***House Bill No. 2374** -- Child Abuse - As introduced, authorizes electronic submission of reports and data regarding child protective teams to the senate judiciary committee and the civil justice committee of the house. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *DeBerry.

***House Bill No. 2375** -- Religion and Religious Organizations - As introduced, enacts the "Religious Freedom Restoration Act". - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2376** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, clarifies that it is lawful for a person acting on behalf of either a public or a private institution of higher education and not just a public institution to capture an image using an unmanned aircraft in this state for purposes of research. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2377** -- Evidence - As introduced, requires biological evidence collected for a case in which the defendant is sentenced to death to be preserved until the defendant's execution or completion of sentence; authorizes the intentional destruction of such biological evidence to be handled as criminal contempt. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Faison.

***House Bill No. 2378** -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, limits the number of days a student may be administered standardized tests to 15 school days per school year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 60. by *VanHuss, *Hill M, *Hill T.

***House Bill No. 2379** -- Marriage - As introduced, prevents public officials in official capacity from solemnizing marriages. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3. by *VanHuss.

***House Bill No. 2380** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, permits veterans to qualify for in-state tuition and fees at public institutions of higher education subject to proof of release or discharge from active duty and that the discharge was honorable. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2381** -- Water Authorities - As introduced, sunsets the Hamilton County water wastewater treatment authority created pursuant to this state's Water and Wastewater Treatment Authority Act, July 1, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 6. by *Carter.

***House Bill No. 2382** -- Annexation - As introduced, defines "property being used primarily for agricultural purposes" for purposes of annexation. - Amends TCA Title 6. by *Carter.

House Bill No. 2383 -- Students - As introduced, requires each LEA to annually report to the department of education the number and types of task forces, programs, and initiatives established concerning harassment, intimidation, bullying, or cyber-bullying. - Amends TCA Section 37-1-403; Section 37-1-604 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 45. by *Carter.

House Bill No. 2384 -- Real Property - As introduced, creates various causes of action for members of a homeowners' association against a homeowners' association; authorizes a declarant of a homeowners' association to retain full control of a project until its completion. - Amends TCA Title 66. by *Carter.

House Bill No. 2385 -- Judges and Chancellors - As introduced, requires appellate court judges appointed in 2014 who have not yet stood for election to stand for retention election in

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the regular August election of 2016; deletes references to the judicial performance evaluation commission. - Amends TCA Title 17. by *Carter.

House Bill No. 2386 -- Courts, General Sessions - As introduced, changes from October 1 to September 1 of the year a judge is elected, the date on which a county must be in one class in order for a judge's salary not to be diminished due to the county subsequently being moved to a lower class based on a subsequent federal census. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 15. by *Carter.

***House Bill No. 2387** -- Eminent Domain - As introduced, permits owner of land subject to a regulatory taking to file a petition for a jury of inquest or sue for damages; requires that reasonable costs, disbursements, and expenses be paid to a successful plaintiff in addition to any damages awarded. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 13; Title 29; Title 42, Chapter 6 and Title 44. by *Carter.

***House Bill No. 2388** -- Contracts - As introduced, prohibits arbitration in causes of action arising out of consumer contracts. - Amends TCA Title 29 and Title 47. by *Carter.

***House Bill No. 2389** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, prohibits law enforcement officers of this state and its political subdivisions from enforcing provisions of international law and treaties that limit gun rights under Article I, Section 26 of the state constitution. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2390** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires a health insurance entity to pay any preapproved portion of the cost of a claim submitted to the entity electronically no later than 10 days after submission. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Littleton.

***House Bill No. 2391** -- Orders of Protection - As introduced, clarifies that if a person files for an order of protection after divorce complaint is filed, the court that receives the filing shall order relief; requires rather than authorizes certain relief to be granted in protection orders. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2392 -- Domestic Violence - As introduced, authorizes the AOC and clerks of court to publish on their web sites forms necessary for a person to seek a protection order for domestic abuse. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6 and Title 39. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2393 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, allows a law enforcement officer who is carrying a firearm on school grounds when not engaged in the actual discharge of the officer's official duties to give notice that the officer is carrying the weapon not only to the principal or an appropriate person in the principal's office but also to the assistant principal. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2394 -- Election Laws - As introduced, requires a special election to fill a vacant U.S. Senate seat; specifies that if a United States senator or representative is elected to fill a vacancy in a special election, then that senator or representative will hold office until the term for which the predecessor was elected expires. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2395 -- Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Nursing Delegation Act for Home and Community Living," which authorizes a registered nurse to delegate certain health maintenance tasks to an unlicensed person if the nurse adheres to a

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delegation process; limits liability of such nurses and unlicensed persons. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 71. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2396 -- State Employees - As introduced, allows a retired law enforcement officer with 25 years creditable service in any law enforcement agency in the state to enroll in one class per semester at any state institution of higher learning without paying tuition and fees. - Amends TCA Section 8-50-114. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2397 -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, requires healthcare providers to provide certain women with information concerning cytomegalovirus. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. by *Littleton, *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2398 -- TennCare - As introduced, establishes medication therapy management as a component of the TennCare program. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 10 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Littleton, *Shepard, *Sexton C.

***House Bill No. 2399** -- Sexual Offenses - As introduced, increases penalty for statutory rape by an authority figure from Class C felony to Class B felony if more than a four-year age difference; creates Class C felony penalty for statutory rape by an authority figure if less than four-year age difference. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-532. by *Littleton.

House Bill No. 2400 -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, requires the department of transportation to maintain all roads in state parks, whether county or state roads. - Amends TCA Title 11 and Title 54. by *Littleton.

***House Bill No. 2401** -- Liens - As introduced, revises the notice provisions pertaining to a condominium association when the association forecloses on a lien against a unit owner for assessments levied against the unit. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 27. by *Travis, *Carter.

***House Bill No. 2402** -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, reduces the maximum period, from 60 to 21 days, during which persons engaged in towing and storing vehicles may charge the vehicle owner or lienholder a storage fee. - Amends TCA Title 47; Title 55, Chapter 23 and Title 66. by *Travis.

House Bill No. 2403 -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, changes the burden of proof for asset forfeitures from a preponderance of the evidence to clear and convincing evidence; requires a criminal conviction, with certain limited exceptions, before a forfeiture may be completed; makes various other revisions to asset forfeiture provisions. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 11, Part 7; Title 40, Chapter 33 and Title 53, Chapter 11. by *Travis.

***House Bill No. 2404** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, prohibits the discharge or termination of employees for filing a workers' compensation claim; limits the amount of damages that an employee can pursue in certain retaliatory discharge actions. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Travis.

***House Bill No. 2405** -- Handgun Permits - As introduced, reduces permit fee to \$100 by removing the \$15 fingerprint criminal history data base fee. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2406 -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, authorizes the clerks of special juvenile courts and courts of general sessions having juvenile court jurisdiction to collect \$75.00

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from any person whose case is adjudicated in various instances; designates the fees collected from such adjudications to be used exclusively for the creation and maintenance of new juvenile court facilities. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21; Title 16 and Title 37. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2407 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, enacts the "Public-Private Transportation Act of 2016." - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 6; Title 9; Title 12; Title 54; Title 55; Title 65 and Title 67. by *Sargent.

***House Bill No. 2408** -- Telecommunications - As introduced, changes from January 31 to December 1 the date for which the comptroller of the treasury, in cooperation with the TRA, must provide an annual report to the general assembly on the status of the provision of broadband services in historically unserved areas by telecommunications joint ventures. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 12 and Title 65. by *Swann.

***House Bill No. 2409** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, clarifies that, after a change in ownership of a postsecondary proprietary institution, the new owner has 10 business days instead of 10 days to apply to THEC for authorization to operate. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Casada.

House Bill No. 2410 -- Public Employees - As introduced, clarifies that local government authorities or local education authorities may adopt or make available voluntary benefits that are treated as supplemental benefits and are deemed not to be a "group health plan" when established in accordance with the appropriate federal statutes or regulations that define the term "group health plan." - Amends TCA Title 8. by *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2411** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, requires the department to submit an annual report to the chairs of the transportation committees of both houses identifying currently administratively issued collegiate plates, and those collegiate plates that have been issued, but deemed obsolete in the previous five years. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2412** -- Children - As introduced, authorizes a parent of a newborn to object and opt out of a treatment to the newborn's eyes to prevent certain conditions; removes Class C misdemeanor penalty for a physician, nurse, or midwife failing to administer the treatment. - Amends TCA Section 68-5-202. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2413** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner of health to report annually to the general assembly concerning each instance of access to medical records under 2015 Public Chapter 154 in response to an immediate threat to the public health; requires the commissioner to notify the speaker of the senate and the speaker of the house when records access is requested under that statute. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2414** -- Students - As introduced, requires students in public schools and public institutions of higher education to use restrooms and locker rooms that are assigned to persons of the same sex as that shown on the students' birth certificates. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Lynn.

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House Bill No. 2415 -- Immigration - As introduced, requires the Tennessee office for refugees to notify the governor and the commissioner of safety of certain information concerning any refugee selected for resettlement in this state who has lived within a certain period of time in a country designated by the U.S. secretary of state as a state sponsor of terrorism. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2416** -- Workers Compensation - As introduced, revises various workers' compensation and drug-free workplace provisions. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6 and Title 50, Chapter 9. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2417 -- Zoning - As introduced, increases number of members who may be elected to serve on boards of zoning appeals in certain counties and municipalities, as determined by local legislative bodies. - Amends TCA Section 13-7-106 and Section 13-7-205. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2418 -- Emergency Communications Districts - As introduced, requires removal of members for failure to attend at least 50 percent of all regularly scheduled board meetings, rather than for having three consecutive unexcused absences; deletes procedure for removal by court order or petition of board or local governing body. - Amends TCA Section 7-86-105 and Section 7-86-314. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2419** -- Local Government, General - As introduced, authorizes local governments issuing debt to prepare biennial budgets rather than annual budgets if the comptroller determines that the local governments have sufficient financial resources to more than adequately service their debts. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 6 and Title 9, Chapter 21. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2420 -- Fire Prevention and Investigation - As introduced, prohibits certain flame retardants in children's products and residential upholstered furniture. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 131. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2421 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, encourages TBI to develop an activation card for law enforcement use in connection with the missing citizen alert program to help locate missing citizens who have wandered due to dementia or physical impairment. - Amends TCA Section 38-6-121. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2422 -- Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, authorizes a nurse practitioner or physician assistant who practices in a free or reduced fee clinic to arrange for required chart reviews by a supervising physician in the physician's office or remotely via HIPAA-compliant electronic means instead of at the clinic site. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 19; Title 63, Chapter 6 and Title 63, Chapter 7. by *Goins.

House Bill No. 2423 -- Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, changes the title of advanced practice nurses to advanced practice registered nurses and changes references to their credentials from certificates to licenses. - Amends TCA Section 24-9-101; Section 49-2-124; Section 53-10-104; Section 53-10-302; Section 53-11-309; Section 56-32-137; Section 56-7-2408; Section 63-1-109; Section 63-1-301; Section 63-1-313; Section 63-10-204; Section 63-10-217; Section 63-10-505; Section 63-10-506; Title 63, Chapter 29; Section 63-51-102; Section

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63-6-244; Section 63-6-802; Title 63, Chapter 7; Section 63-9-121; Section 68-1-128; Section 68-11-224; Section 68-2-601 and Section 71-5-1414. by *Goins.

***House Bill No. 2424** -- DUI Offenses - As introduced, allows a judge to use funds from the interlock assistance fund to pay for a portion of the cost of transdermal monitoring if the judge determines that a person so ordered cannot pay some portion of the cost of the device. - Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 55. by *Goins.

***House Bill No. 2425** -- Handgun Permits - As introduced, permits a resident of Tennessee 18 years of age or older who is not prohibited from possessing a firearm under state or federal law to apply for and receive a handgun carry permit - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351. by *Goins.

House Bill No. 2426 -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, requires all LEAs using the uniform grading system for lottery scholarship purposes, and another grading system based on quality points for other purposes, to award additional quality points for honors and other advanced courses uniformly. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Goins.

House Bill No. 2427 -- Local Government, General - As introduced, authorizes volunteer firefighters who have successfully completed the Tennessee commission on firefighting personnel and standard education certification exam for Firefighter I and have practiced as a volunteer firefighter for at least one year from the completion of such exam to receive group insurance benefits, subject to the approval of county governing bodies. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 27 and Title 50, Chapter 6. by *Goins.

***House Bill No. 2428** -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, enacts the "Forfeiture Act," which creates a new process for civil forfeiture actions. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 53 and Title 55. by *Goins.

***House Bill No. 2429** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires that the report regarding nonimmigrant students that is required from certain institutions be submitted on a biannual basis; requires the same institutions to submit a historical report that contains information regarding nonimmigrant students. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38 and Title 49. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2430** -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, enacts the "Cancer Patient Choice Act," which establishes payment requirements for hypofractionated proton therapy protocols. - Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 63. by *Smith.

***House Bill No. 2431** -- Education - As introduced, prohibits the local board from requiring student scores on achievement tests to comprise a percentage of the student's grade in certain subjects; authorizes the local board of education to create a policy to allow student scores on achievement tests to comprise no less than 15 percent and no more than 25 percent of each student's final grade in the subject area. - Amends TCA Section 49-1-61. by *Smith.

***House Bill No. 2432** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, creates a tuition-freeze program for certain higher education students. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Smith.

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***House Bill No. 2433** -- Therapists, Physical and Occupational - As introduced, enacts the "Physical Therapy Licensure Compact" to create a system of reciprocity whereby physical therapists who are licensed in one member state could practice in other member states. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 13. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2434** -- Evidence - As introduced, permits victim of domestic violence to testify via two-way closed circuit television if the court finds that the victim would be traumatized by testifying in the courtroom with the defendant present. - Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 7. by *Cooper.

***House Bill No. 2435** -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, allows a victim of domestic abuse, sexual assault, or stalking to terminate a lease or rental agreement if notice and documentation that the tenant is a victim are presented to the landlord; specifies that a perpetrator of certain offenses remains liable for rent and damages under a lease or rental agreement even if the perpetrator is ordered to vacate the premises by a protection order. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 66. by *Cooper.

House Bill No. 2436 -- Cemeteries - As introduced, authorizes all local governments to use local funds to rehabilitate or maintain dilapidated or abandoned cemeteries. - Amends TCA Title 46, Chapter 2, Part 1. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2437** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes review panel for reviewing exclusions and waivers under the Mental Health, Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention and/or Treatment, Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, and Personal Support Services Licensure Law to elect officers as it deems necessary in addition to a chair and a vice chair. - Amends TCA Section 33-2-403 and Section 33-2-402. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2438** -- Abortion - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare to report to the chair of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the chair of the health committee of the house by January 31 of each year on the number of abortions paid for by the medical assistance program during the prior calendar year that comply with the exceptions permitted by budget statute. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 37; Title 39; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2439** -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, enacts the "Municipal Energy Authority Act." - Amends TCA Title 7. by *Hill M.

***House Bill No. 2440** -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, increases the number of days in which the commissioner of health must grant or deny a request for a variance from the restrictions against bare hand contact with food. - Amends TCA Title 49; Title 53 and Title 68. by *Hill M.

House Bill No. 2441 -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, creates sunrise provision for the private probation services council, June 30, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 16, Chapter 3, Part 9 and Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 3. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2442** -- State Employees - As introduced, prohibits a state employer from inquiring about an applicant's criminal history on an initial application form for employment under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 1. by *Gilmore.

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House Bill No. 2443 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, requires certain temporary injunctions go into effect against both parties upon filing of a petition related to child custody. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2444 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, requires the department of agriculture to make the required annual report describing the department's enforcement efforts of state law in regard to sale of tobacco products to minors available on the department's web site. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *McDaniel.

House Bill No. 2445 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, authorizes law enforcement officers to administer epinephrine in emergency situations if the officer's law enforcement agency has adopted a protocol governing the administration of epinephrine; authorizes physicians to prescribe epinephrine to a law enforcement agency for use by officers in emergency situations. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2446** -- TennCare - As introduced, prohibits managed care organizations that participate in the TennCare program from recouping overpayments based on a mistake made by the management care organization if more than 120 business days have passed since the managed care organization reimbursed the provider based on a proper clean claim; prohibits managed care organizations from reducing or withholding pending payments to recover any overpayment of fees. - Amends TCA Title 56; Title 63, Chapter 68 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Weaver.

House Bill No. 2447 -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, requires the office of vital records to forward death certificates of possible prescription opiates to the controlled substances monitoring database for investigation and referral of associated prescribers to appropriate licensing boards for investigation. - Amends TCA Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2448** -- Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, removes convicted felons from those persons or classes prohibited from being bail bondsmen. - Amends amend TCA. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2449** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, makes attempting to seize funds in a consumer's bank account when owed for the purchase of goods or services an unfair or deceptive act under the Consumer Protection Act of 1977. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2450** -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, prohibits a person who commits an assault at a sporting event from remaining on or entering the property during the same or another sporting event for the period of time determined by property management; punishes the entering of property during the established period of time as criminal trespass. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Towns.

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***House Bill No. 2451** -- Sentencing - As introduced, permits certain inmates to receive a sentence reduction credit of 15 percent of the sentence imposed for successfully receiving a high school diploma or graduate equivalency diploma while in prison. - Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 41. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2452** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, requires a licensed firearm dealer who sells firearms to the public at retail to post signs by January 1, 2017, that are visible at the point of sale informing purchasers of firearms of the proper method to safely store firearms using language created by the department of safety by October 1, 2016; makes the knowing failure to post the signs by the licensed dealer a Class C misdemeanor punishable by a fine of \$50.00. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1316. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2453** -- Municipal Government - As introduced, requires a referendum be conducted before a publicly funded entity can be sold or leased; "sale or lease" means that more than 30 percent of the assets of the entity are subject to sale or lease. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 51. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2454** -- Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, requires payor banks to process items sequentially as indicated by the numbers on the bank drafts on the day items are charged against a customer's account; places limits on handling charges for insufficient funds if items are not processed sequentially. - Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 47, Chapter 4, Part 4. by *Towns.

***House Bill No. 2455** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, makes requesting a person to provide the person's social security number an unfair or deceptive act under the Consumer Protection Act of 1977, unless the request is required by federal or state law, or any rule promulgated pursuant to such federal or state law. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Towns.

House Bill No. 2456 -- Recreational Areas - As introduced, specifies that inflatable play structures that are leased are not considered "amusement devices" and are not subject to regulation by the department of labor and workforce development. - Amends TCA Section 68-121-101. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2457** -- Election Laws - As introduced, lowers signature requirement to become recognized minor party from 2.5 percent of votes cast for governor in the last gubernatorial race to 1.5 percent. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 2458 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, entitles financial institutions to certain franchise and excise tax credits for making certain loans or other grants to community development enterprises. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2459 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires TCRS board to strive to ensure that emerging investment managers account for at least 20 percent of all outside asset investments; increases amount of maximum portfolio to be considered an emerging investment manager from \$100,000,000 to \$250,000,000. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 24; Title 8 and Title 9. by *Armstrong, *Camper.

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House Bill No. 2460 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, specifies that the child support guidelines will be rebutted for the purposes of reducing retroactive child support obligations upon showing of certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2461 -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires that accounts receivable owed to governmental entities that remain unpaid and owing for at least 15 years must be deemed uncollectible and written off in accordance with general accepted auditing principles. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9 and Title 67. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2462 -- Education - As introduced, prohibits LEAs from requiring high school students to take any standardized test that is not state-mandated or a college admissions test; permits parents of certain students to opt the students out of state-mandated standardized test; requires the office of research and education accountability to update a 2002 report on testing. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2463 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, requires each state agency to strive to ensure that at least 12.5 percent of all agency contracts are awarded to minority-owned businesses, woman-owned businesses, service-disabled veteran-owned businesses, or small businesses. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 11. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2464 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, adds certain addiction specialists certified by the American board of addiction medicine to list of those physicians who may be a pain management specialist for a pain management clinic. - Amends TCA Section 63-1-301. by *Camper.

***House Bill No. 2465** -- General Assembly - As introduced, restores the joint select committee on business taxes. - Amends TCA Title 3. by *Camper, *Parkinson.

***House Bill No. 2466** -- Education - As introduced, creates a board of trustees for the achievement school district. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49. by *Camper, *Parkinson, *Miller.

House Bill No. 2467 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, permits a court in which a petition for grandparent visitation has been filed to consider documents and affidavits from the custodial parent; confers upon judge the authority to terminate the custody hearing if the judge believes the decision to terminate visitation was joint and mutual and that there is evidence that one or more of the grandparents abused the children. - Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37. by *Ragan.

***House Bill No. 2468** -- Health Care - As introduced, authorizes a government contractor and a healthcare provider to enter into a contract for the provision of volunteer healthcare services to low-income patients in this state. - Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. by *Kumar.

***House Bill No. 2469** -- Education - As introduced, requires THEC to perform a study on the effectiveness of dual enrollment grants in promoting college degree attainment. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Powers.

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***House Bill No. 2470** -- Taxes, Income - As introduced, requires the department of revenue to submit a report by March 1, 2017, to the finance, ways and means committees of both houses on the number of Hall income taxpayers submitting electronic tax returns and payments. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2. by *Powers.

House Bill No. 2471 -- Recreational Vehicles - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Recreation Vehicle Franchise Act of 2016"; establishes licensing requirements specifically for recreational vehicle dealers and salespersons to be overseen by the Tennessee motor vehicle commission. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Keisling.

***House Bill No. 2472** -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, revises the reporting requirements of the Tennessee regulatory authority's annual report comparing the rates of municipal utilities, cooperatives, and utility districts providing water, gas, or electricity to the rates of water, gas, and electric utilities regulated by the authority to require reporting to each member of the general assembly in addition to current recipients. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 64 and Title 65. by *Matheny.

***House Bill No. 2473** -- Recycling - As introduced, increases from 10 to 12 the number of days within which a scrap metal dealer may request a hearing concerning a determination of violation issued by the commissioner of commerce and insurance. - Amends TCA Title 55; Title 62 and Title 68. by *Matheny.

***House Bill No. 2474** -- DUI Offenses - As introduced, enhances the punishment for a DUI conviction if the person at the time of the offense has a child in the car, multiple children in the car, or one or more of the children are not properly restrained. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Holsclaw.

***House Bill No. 2475** -- Education - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Exemplary Educator Academy Act." - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2476** -- White County - As introduced, authorizes private property owners to eradicate wild hogs year-round in the county by any means necessary if the wild hogs are destroying their crops, livelihood, or property. - Amends TCA Title 43; Title 44 and Title 70, Chapter 4, Part 1. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2477** -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, requires the Great Falls Dam between White and Warren counties to be reopened. - Amends TCA Title 54 and Title 55. by *Dunlap.

House Bill No. 2478 -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, prohibits the closure of any full service driver license station that is operational as of January 1, 2016, if the closure removes from the county seat any essential services more than 30 miles to the next driver license station. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Dunlap, *Matheny, *Holt, *Fitzhugh, *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2479 -- Education - As introduced, requires the commissioner of education to study, at least every five years, the weight of textbooks used by students and to make recommendations based on that study to the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Dunlap.

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House Bill No. 2480 -- Education - As introduced, recreates the special joint committee on education. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 49. by *Dunlap.

House Bill No. 2481 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, requires the commissioner of health, in consultation with the board for licensing health care facilities, to annually report to the chair of the senate health and welfare committee and the chair of the health committee of the house concerning issues relating to the need of nursing homes for various types of insurance, including liability and workers' compensation. - Amends TCA Title 50; Title 56 and Title 68. by *Love, *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2482** -- Sentencing - As introduced, permits a trial court to order sentences for two offenses to run concurrently, despite one offense having been committed while the defendant was released on bail for the other offense, if the order is based on a good faith plea agreement between the prosecutor and defendant. - Amends TCA Title 36; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41 and Title 55. by *Akbari, *Farmer.

***House Bill No. 2483** -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, deletes the \$350 fee charged for expunction of criminal records. - Amends TCA Section 8-21-401 and Title 40. by *Akbari, *Camper, *Hardaway, *Cooper.

House Bill No. 2484 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Brownfield Redevelopment Tax Credit Act of 2016." - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2485 -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, extends the annual deadline, from October 1 to November 1, for lessees of industrial development corporations that make payments in lieu of taxes to submit the annual report required under present law to the state board of equalization. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 13; Title 48 and Title 67. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2486 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, creates a nine-member task force to make recommendations for statutory changes to allow licensed professionals to operate mobile businesses. - Amends TCA Title 55; Title 62 and Title 68. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2487 -- Highway Signs - As introduced, mandates maximum distances between speed limit signs installed on or after July 1, 2016, on state highways and interstate highways. - Amends TCA Title 54 and Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2488 -- Schools, Charter - As introduced, requires a charter school operator to demonstrate certain student achievement levels before a charter school operator is authorized to operate any other public charter school within either the ASD or an LEA. - Amends TCA Section 49-1-614 and Title 49, Chapter 13. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2489 -- Education - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of education to promulgate rules to allow a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation to enter a school to teach kindergarten through third-grade students various subjects. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Akbari.

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House Bill No. 2490 -- Education - As introduced, changes the date by which the department of education must submit its annual report on virtual schools, from July 1 to September 1. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2491 -- Education - As introduced, requires the Tennessee financial literacy commission to include information in educational programs designed to improve understanding of mortgages, home-buying tax incentives, and the home-buying process. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2492 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires public institutions of higher education to recognize at graduation students who voluntarily perform community service substantially complying with the rules for community service under the Tennessee Promise scholarship program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2493** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, requires the department of children's services to report annually to the governor and speakers of the house and senate; report to include an evaluation of the effectiveness of juvenile court probation departments; requires community service agencies and other private probation services to develop a strategic plan for improving outcome of juveniles under supervision. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2494** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, revises various provisions regarding juvenile court proceedings, including adding requirements to a juvenile court petition and adding commencement of a proceeding by filing a citation. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. by *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2495** -- Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, amends juvenile court procedural requirements; grants statutory authority for pretrial or judicial diversion of juveniles. - Amends TCA Title 37. by *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2496** -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, allows licensing authorities for certain state regulatory agencies to consider whether a person's conviction for the commission of a felony bears directly on the person's fitness to practice competently when making determinations regarding the person's licensure status. - Amends TCA Title 57; Title 62; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 69. by *Akbari, *Love.

***House Bill No. 2497** -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, extends from five working days to seven calendar days the time in which a law enforcement officer needs to apply for a forfeiture warrant if the officer makes a seizure and an arrest. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33. by *Alexander.

***House Bill No. 2498** -- Taxes - As introduced, increases, from 60 days to 90 days, the period of time in which a taxpayer claiming an exemption from excise tax must file an application seeking the exemption. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 67. by *Wirgau.

***House Bill No. 2499** -- Cosmetology - As introduced, increases the period of time in which a license holder must notify the board of cosmetology and barber examiners of an address change from 30 days to 60 days. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 4. by *White M.

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***House Bill No. 2500** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, extends the juvenile court's jurisdiction for a child who commits certain delinquent acts to the child's 25th birthday; permits the court to impose any sentence on the child during that time that could have been imposed if the child had been convicted as an adult. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1 and Section 40-35-303. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 2501** -- Economic and Community Development - As introduced, permits the commissioner of economic and community development to transmit the required report on the status of the appropriations for the FastTrack fund in an electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 67, Chapter 4. by *White M.

***House Bill No. 2502** -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, clarifies that a parent who spends intervals of time with a child and who wishes to relocate is required to provide notice to the other parent after custody or co-parenting has been established by the entry of a permanent parenting plan or final court order. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Daniel.

***House Bill No. 2503** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, enacts the "Protection of Teachers Act"; creates preference for retaining tenured teachers over nontenured teachers during a reduction of force; prohibits the dismissal of a tenured teacher in a reduction of force if another position is available in the system; prohibits the hiring of a nontenured teacher if a tenured teacher remains on the reemployment list. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2504** -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, prohibits the use of solitary confinement of juvenile offenders except in certain, limited circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 41, Chapter 21. by *Turner.

House Bill No. 2505 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, permits a student with a documented learning disability who is unable to take 12 semester hours as required for the Tennessee Promise scholarship to be eligible for the scholarship. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *Turner.

***House Bill No. 2506** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, establishes an annual one-day holiday from the state portion of the sales and use tax for purchases made in counties with populations of 50,000 or less. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Byrd.

***House Bill No. 2507** -- Natural Disasters - As introduced, clarifies the definition of "natural disaster" in the Emergency Financial Aid to Local Government Law of 1995. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 58, Chapter 2 and Title 68. by *Byrd.

House Bill No. 2508 -- Marriage - As introduced, increases from three days to five days from the date of marriage the time in which the signed license must be returned to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 36. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2509** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, prohibits an administrator, professor, or employee of a public institution of higher education from requiring a student or employee to provide information on firearm ownership; prohibits taking adverse disciplinary or employment action against a student or employee of the institution for information on firearm ownership that is voluntarily given. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Holt.

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***House Bill No. 2510** -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, requires headlights to be displayed while approaching a curve on a mountain highway where the view is obstructed. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50 and Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2511** -- Fairs - As introduced, requires the Tennessee state fair and exposition commission to submit a report, by no later than December 31 each year, of the commission's activities during the previous year. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12; Title 43 and Title 66. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2512** -- Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, requires the commissioner of labor and workforce development to publish the report concerning the condition of the unemployment trust fund during the first week of January and the first week of July of each year on the department's web site. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 7. by *Holt.

***House Bill No. 2513** -- Recycling - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Beverage Container Recycling Refunds Act." - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 2, Part 1; Title 57, Chapter 5, Part 2; Title 68, Chapter 211; and Chapter 616 of the Public Acts of 2010. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2514** -- Victims' Rights - As introduced, increases from \$750 to \$1,250 the maximum amount payable by the criminal injuries compensation fund for the provision of forensic medical examinations performed on victims of sexually oriented crimes. - Amends TCA Section 29-13-118. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2515** -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, permits a tenant who is the victim of sexual assault, domestic abuse, or stalking to terminate the tenant's lease under certain circumstances and gives the landlord a right of action against the perpetrator for damages due to broken lease. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 28. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2516** -- Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, directs the department of environment and conservation to promulgate rules to create a database and to operate an interactive information clearinghouse that includes a tracking identification system for tires sold by dealers; repeals the Tennessee solid waste and recycling advisory committee. - Amends TCA Title 67 and Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2517** -- Textbooks - As introduced, allows LEAs to use funds obtained by selling unusable or replaced textbooks for technology in addition to textbooks and instructional materials. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2518** -- Abortion - As introduced, revises provisions governing fetal tissue obtained as a result of a medical or surgical abortion. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 30, Part 1. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2519 -- Naming and Designating - As introduced, designates the supreme court building located in the city of Knoxville as the "Edward T. Sanford State Supreme Court Building.". by *Armstrong.

House Bill No. 2520 -- Alcohol Offenses, Sales - As introduced, allows Holston Hills Country Club in Knox County to serve and sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4, Part 1. by *Armstrong.

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House Bill No. 2521 -- Education - As introduced, raises the age of students, from age 12 and over to age 16 and over, for whom boards of education may establish and maintain night schools. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Armstrong, *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2522 -- Education - As introduced, holds teachers who do not have access to individual student growth data harmless on their evaluations and students harmless on their grades in the first year of administration of TNReady assessments from the results obtained from those assessments. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Armstrong, *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2523 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, requires a court clerk who receives a petition for the restoration of rights from a petitioner who resides in that county to forward the petition to the clerk in the county where the conviction took place, if applicable, and requires such clerk to process the petition as if received directly from the petitioner. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 8, Chapter 21, Part 4; Title 18 and Title 40. by *Armstrong, *Akbari.

***House Bill No. 2524** -- Bonds and Undertakings, Regulation of - As introduced, requires any county governing body that prepares a plan of debt reorganization to submit a copy of the plan to the comptroller of the treasury upon the comptroller's request. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5 and Title 9. by *Hulsey.

***House Bill No. 2525** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, clarifies that the annual summary of reports of state department and agency programs shall be submitted by the commissioner of labor and workforce development to the governor and the general assembly no later than March 1 of each year instead of annually. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2526** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes hospitals licensed by department of health or department of mental health and substance abuse services to electronically submit to the department of health the required joint annual report of statistical particulars relative to their patients for the previous fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 33 and Title 68. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2527** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to notify the general assembly within 60 days of any consolidation of two or more school districts. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2528** -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, increases the number of days from 60 to 75 after the close of each fiscal year within which the department must prepare and print an annual report for the governor and members of the general assembly accounting for the expenditure of the operations and expenditures of all funds under the medical assistance act. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2529** -- General Assembly - As introduced, creates the select oversight committee on general services. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 4. by *Jones, *Clemmons.

House Bill No. 2530 -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, authorizes counties and cities to establish programs allowing indigent persons who have been convicted of driving while their

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license is suspended or revoked to complete community service in lieu of paying the fine or costs for the conviction. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Stewart.

***House Bill No. 2531** -- Securities - As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense for a person who knowingly issues, or significantly contributes to the issuance of, a credit rating for a security in which the rating is materially false or misleading. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 48, Chapter 1. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2532 -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, requires that a juvenile court proceeding involving allegations that the juvenile was illegally in possession of a firearm be given priority in scheduling and be heard by the court as soon as is practicable. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 40. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2533 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, creates preference for retaining tenured teachers over nontenured teachers during a reduction of force; prohibits the dismissal of a tenured teacher in a reduction of force if another position is available in the system; prohibits the hiring of a nontenured teacher if a tenured teacher remains on the reemployment list. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2534** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, requires the commissioner to annually report the amount of disaster relief refunds issued by the department. - Amends TCA Title 67. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2535** -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, requires municipalities with a population greater than 40,000 to provide water and sewer systems; prohibits such municipalities from entering into contracts for water and sewer systems with other municipalities. - Amends TCA Title 6; Title 7 and Title 68. by *Mitchell.

***House Bill No. 2536** -- State Employees - As introduced, grants state employees one day leave from work annually to participate in community service. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 50. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2537** -- Public Health - As introduced, requires coaches at schools and other organizations conducting football programs to meet minimum standards. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 55. by *Fitzhugh.

House Bill No. 2538 -- Education - As introduced, adds skateboard safety to the bicycle safety curriculum the department of education is urged to develop. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Fitzhugh.

House Bill No. 2539 -- State Employees - As introduced, revises provisions prohibiting a state employer from discriminating between employees by paying employees unequal wages on the basis of sex. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 50. by *Fitzhugh.

House Bill No. 2540 -- General Assembly - As introduced, prohibits use of official letterhead of the general assembly by members for purposes of making a sentencing recommendation or comment to a court. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Fitzhugh.

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***House Bill No. 2541** -- Appropriations - As introduced, earmarks sufficient state funds for the purpose of funding any bill naming a highway or bridge in honor of a service member or a public safety official killed in the line of duty. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2542** -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, exempts sellers with total gross sales of less than \$1,000,000 from retailer accountability provisions. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 4. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2543** -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, requires TSAC to annually prepare a status report for the governor and general assembly on the Tennessee HOPE foster child tuition grant program. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2544** -- Education - As introduced, requires the department of education to annually report on the availability and content of driver education and training courses in public schools to the education committee of the senate and the education instruction and programs committee of the house. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Fitzhugh.

***House Bill No. 2545** -- Health Care - As introduced, authorizes advisory question on the expansion of Medicaid to be placed on the ballot at the regular November election in 2016. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 57 and Title 68. by *Fitzhugh.

House Bill No. 2546 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes the issuance of gun violence restraining orders. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Turner.

House Bill No. 2547 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, imposes \$5,000 fine on person convicted of assault causing bodily injury, regardless of the victim's status; imposes \$15,000 fine on person convicted of aggravated assault regardless of victim's status; requires restitution order for persons convicted of aggravated assault. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Keisling, *Durham.

House Bill No. 2548 -- Zoning - As introduced, increases the minimum continuing education training required for board of zoning appeals members from four hours per year to five hours per year. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7. by *Keisling, *Durham.

***House Bill No. 2549** -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, makes misrepresenting the total price of goods or services in an advertisement, including, but not limited to, failing to include mandatory costs and fees in the advertisement when representing the price for which the goods or services are offered an unfair or deceptive act under the Consumer Protection Act of 1977. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Keisling, *Durham.

***House Bill No. 2550** -- Water - As introduced, changes time period within which notices of intent to appeal decisions under the Water Quality Control Act of 1977 must be published on TDEC's web site from within three business days of receipt, but no later than 14 days prior to the hearing, to within five business days of receipt, but no later than 12 days prior to the hearing. - Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 69. by *Durham.

House Bill No. 2551 -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, requires the department of commerce and insurance to provide a copy of the American National Standard Electrical

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Safety Code edition dated August 1, 2011, on the department's web site. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 64; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Littleton, *Durham.

***House Bill No. 2552** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, provides that any public institution of higher education that classifies a student, who is not a United States citizen, as a Tennessee resident for purposes of charging in-state tuition forfeits all state funding, does not apply to veterans under the Tennessee Veterans Education Transition Support Act. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Durham, *Holt, *Van Huss.

House Bill No. 2553 -- Healthcare Liability - As introduced, requires a person who receives notice of a potential claim for healthcare liability and who asserts the person would not be a proper defendant to provide written notice with that assertion to the potential claimant within 30 days. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 26, Part 1. by *Durham.

***House Bill No. 2554** -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, increases penalties for businesses that employ illegal immigrants. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 50. by *Durham.

House Bill No. 2555 -- Immigration - As introduced, removes present exemption for private employers with less than six employees from employment verification requirements. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 9; Title 12; Title 50 and Title 67. by *Durham.

House Bill No. 2556 -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, requires the department of labor and workforce development to submit a report to each member of the general assembly of the total number of final orders issued pursuant to the Tennessee Lawful Employment Act, and prohibited employment contract activity, by December 1 of each year. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 50. by *Durham.

House Bill No. 2557 -- Taxes, Litigation - As introduced, allows a county, upon the adoption of a resolution by a 2/3 majority vote of the county legislative body, to assess a privilege tax on litigation in civil cases in an amount not to exceed \$25.00 per case to be used exclusively for personnel and operating costs of the circuit court located in that county. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Durham.

House Bill No. 2558 -- Welfare - As introduced, clarifies that nothing in the rules regarding rights of nursing home residents, patients, and members of the public regarding nursing homes creates a private cause of action or permits a class action suit; declares that a class action proceeding shall not be permitted under the law regarding adult protection services. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 9 and Section 71-6-120. by *Durham, *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2559** -- University of Tennessee - As introduced, reconstitutes the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee system. - Amends TCA Section 49-9-201; Section 49-9-202; Section 49-9-203; Section 49-9-204; Section 49-9-205 and Section 49-9-206. by *Jenkins.

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***House Bill No. 2560** -- University of Tennessee - As introduced, prohibits the University of Tennessee board of trustees from raising tuition or fees, either in-state or out-of-state, at any of its institutions until after the 2020-2021 academic year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Jenkins.

***House Bill No. 2561** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, adds the government operations committees of the senate and house to the list of committees to receive notification from the department of furloughs granted due to pregnancies and severe medical conditions. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4 and Title 41. by *McCormick, *Casada.

***House Bill No. 2562** -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires a defendant convicted of knowingly failing to report child sexual abuse to pay a minimum fine of \$2,500 if the defendant was in a position of trust or had supervisory or disciplinary power over the victim by virtue of the defendant's legal, professional, or occupational status. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 49. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2563** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, defines contraband; clarifies that the bag and person of an inmate shall be searched for all contraband that may be used in an escape; requires any contraband and instruments found during the search to be immediately taken from the inmate. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1 and Title 41. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2564** -- Correction, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to provide a written report to the judiciary committee of the senate, the civil justice committee of the house, the state and local government committee of the senate, and the state government committee of the house by February 1, 2017, and by February 1 each year thereafter, detailing the institutional efficiency modifications made at each correctional facility and private contract prison in this state the prior year. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 41. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2565** -- Correctional Programs - As introduced, requires the local volunteer boards to report to TCRB on March 1, 2017, and annually thereafter instead of semiannually. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5; Title 39, Chapter 16, Part 4 and Title 41. by *McCormick.

***House Bill No. 2566** -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, designates a portion of Soak Creek beginning in Bledsoe County and ending in Rhea County as a Class III scenic river. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 13. by *Travis, *Sargent, *Marsh, *Swann, *Lamberth, *Hill M, *Van Huss.

House Bill No. 2567 -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, removes obsolete reference to the employee misclassification advisory task force. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 50; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 65 and Title 67. by *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2568** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, revises various provisions regarding accreditation and reinsurance of insurance companies. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 11; Title 56, Chapter 2; Title 56, Chapter 22 and Title 56, Chapter 45. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Travis.

***House Bill No. 2569** -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, revises various provisions regarding cemetery owners and companies, architects, insurers, shops licensed by

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the board of cosmetology and barber examiners, funeral directors, real estate firms, real estate brokers, affiliate brokers, time-share salespersons, and acquisition agents. - Amends TCA Section 46-2-101; Section 56-1-213 and Title 62. by *McCormick, *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2570** -- Economic and Community Development - As introduced, enacts the "Rural Economic Opportunity Act of 2016"; authorizes a job tax credit for qualified business enterprises located in tier 4 enhancement counties; specifies the minimum jobs criteria and requirements to qualify for the credit; establishes the propelling rural economic progress (P.R.E.P.) fund; establishes guidelines for making grants from the P.R.E.P. fund. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 67, Chapter 4. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Williams.

***House Bill No. 2571** -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Prescription Safety Act of 2016," which revises regulation of controlled substances primarily by means of procedures involving the controlled substances database. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10; Title 63, Chapter 1; Chapter 791 of the Public Acts of 2014 and Chapter 880 of the Public Acts of 2012. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Hawk.

***House Bill No. 2572** -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, makes various technical revisions to the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act, including clarifying the effective date. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 5 and Chapter 901 of the Public Acts of 2010. by *McCormick, *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2573** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, enacts the "Higher Education Authorization Act." - Amends TCA Title 49. by *McCormick, *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2574** -- Basic Education Program (BEP) - As introduced, eliminates an obsolete provision of Tennessee Code Annotated concerning the BEP. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 3. by *McCormick, *Brooks K.

***House Bill No. 2575** -- Handgun Permits - As introduced, makes various changes to handgun carry permits, including extending permit renewals to occur every eight years and lowering the initial application fee from \$115 to \$100. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *McDaniel.

***House Bill No. 2576** -- Sentencing - As introduced, enacts the "Public Safety Act of 2016." - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1; Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 1; Title 40, Chapter 28; Title 40, Chapter 35 and Title 41, Chapter 1, Part 4. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Lamberth.

***House Bill No. 2577** -- Abortion - As introduced, establishes requirements regarding the disposition of fetal remains resulting from surgical abortions, including reporting requirements and requirements for interim inspections of and certain reporting by facilities where surgical abortions are performed. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2 and Title 68. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Dunn, *Lynn.

***House Bill No. 2578** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, restructures the board of regents; establishes state university boards; and makes other changes necessary to effectuate the restructuring. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-102; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *McCormick.

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***House Bill No. 2579** -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, removes authorization of commissioner of revenue to designate products for which persons selling those products must submit an information report; exempts certain wholesalers of candy, food, and nonalcoholic drinks from filing the information report; revises other related provisions. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 4. by *McCormick, *Brooks K.

House Bill No. 2580 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, establishes the offense of theft of a firearm, which is graded as one classification higher than the value of the firearm under the grading of theft. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 1 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Todd.

***House Bill No. 2581** -- Police - As introduced, requires officers arrested for any offense to report such arrests to the police officer standards and training commission; establishes minimum attendance requirement for commission members and requires removal of members who do not meet the requirement. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1. by *Todd.

House Bill No. 2582 -- Telecommunications - As introduced, requires a municipality to create an annual summary documenting, at a minimum, costs dedicated to telecommunications services for regulatory purposes. - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 65. by *Todd.

House Bill No. 2583 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, extends from 30 days to 60 days the time within which a person may petition for review of a civil penalty that is assessed under the Prevention of Youth Access to Tobacco and Vapor Products Act. - Amends TCA Title 39. by *Todd.

House Bill No. 2584 -- Interstate Compacts - As introduced, authorizes Tennessee's participation in Article V conventions to propose amendments to the United States Constitution, through the adoption of the "Compact for a Balanced Budget." - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 18. by *Todd.

House Bill No. 2585 -- Veterinarians - As introduced, exempts certain veterinary facilities issued premises permits prior to January 1, 2015, from requirement that such establishments have an entrance into the permitted premises that is directly on a public street or public parking area and separate from the entrance used by regular retail customers. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 12. by *Todd.

House Bill No. 2586 -- Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows applicants for retail food store wine license to seek certificate of compliance from local government and receive approval letter from commission prior to July 1, 2016; allows wholesalers to solicit orders from retail food stores and deliver wine prior to July 1, 2016; clarifies when retail package store may deliver to customers; limits retail package store licenses to two per owner. - Amends TCA Section 57-3-406 and Section 57-3-803. by *Todd.

***House Bill No. 2587** -- Annexation - As introduced, authorizes counties and municipalities to amend growth plans as often as necessary. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 58. by *Todd.

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***House Bill No. 2588** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of - As introduced, makes mandatory, instead of permissive, the appointment of advocates to the statewide planning and policy council for the department of mental health and substance abuse services to represent children and persons affected by substance abuse. - Amends TCA Title 33. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2589** -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, provides the same retirement and compensation benefits to state park rangers that other law enforcement officers receive. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 8 and Title 70. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2590** -- Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, creates the Rock Island Historical Commission; requires the commission to make recommendations concerning the historic Great Falls Mill that was placed on Tennessee's Preservation Trust Top Ten Most Endangered Sites in Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 11 and Title 68. by *Dunlap.

***House Bill No. 2591** -- Public Property - As introduced, requires that the inventory of state-owned property maintained by the governor include a description of each active construction project on state-owned property. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 12. by *Travis.

***House Bill No. 2592** -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, authorizes use of individual education account funds for contributions to an achieving a better life experience (ABLE) account for the benefit of a participating student; removes requirement that eligibility for ABLE program be limited to state residents and residents of contracting states. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 14 and Title 71, Chapter 4, Part 8. by *Moody.

***House Bill No. 2593** -- Statutes of Limitations and Repose - As introduced, extends the statute of limitations for civil actions based on injury or illness resulting from child sexual abuse that occurred when the person was a minor but was not discovered until after the person became an adult to three years from the discovery of the abuse. - Amends TCA Title 28, Chapter 3, Part 1. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2594** -- Alcoholic Beverage Commission - As introduced, allows commission to impose a fine of up to \$500 to server permit holders who violate certain laws or rules or to suspend or revoke the holder's server permit. - Amends TCA Section 57-1-201; Section 57-3-204; Section 57-3-704; Section 57-3-706; Section 57-3-818 and Title 57, Chapter 5, Part 6. by *Jernigan.

***House Bill No. 2595** -- Election Laws - As introduced, prohibits name of presidential candidate being on ballot unless the candidate is a natural born citizen of the United States; prohibits presidential electors from voting for a candidate who is not a natural born citizen. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 15 and Title 2, Chapter 5. by *Powell.

***House Bill No. 2596** -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires TBI to consult with the department of safety and the FBI to determine whether any handgun carry permit holders are on the federally maintained no fly list and report the number of permit holders on the list to the general assembly prior to January 15 each year. - Amends TCA Title 38 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Powell.

House Bill No. 2597 -- Municipal Government - As introduced, exempts the booking and processing area used by a municipal police department for photographing and fingerprinting defendants and the room used by general sessions courts to hold prisoners in the courthouse who have been transferred from jail to the courthouse for arraignments and preliminary hearings from the standards of the Tennessee state corrections institute. - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 4. by *Sparks.

House Bill No. 2598 -- Board of Regents - As introduced, prohibits the board of regents from approving mandatory fees for institutions to supply textbooks to students. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Sparks.

House Bill No. 2599 -- Welfare - As introduced, permits the commissioner of human services to submit the required annual report on annual adjustments to the standard of need for the Families First Act of 1996 to the governor and the general assembly in electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 71. by *Sparks.

House Bill No. 2600 -- Vital Records - As introduced, defines the terms husband, wife, male, and female as used in all governmental records and public filings of the office of vital records; declares any document presented for filing with the office of vital records that does not conform to such definition as void. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 3. by *Sparks.

***House Bill No. 2601** -- TennCare - As introduced, authorizes the department of health to include the health care safety net hotline within materials about the TennCare program that may be available to the general public at county health departments. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Fitzhugh.

House Bill No. 2602 -- Board of Regents - As introduced, eliminates out-of-state tuition and fees at community colleges. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 8. by *Sparks.

House Bill No. 2603 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, creates a task force to study the feasibility of public institutions of higher education partnering with for-profit or nonprofit education organizations as a way to decrease tuition and fee costs for students. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *Sparks.

***House Bill No. 2604** -- Morgan County - As introduced, authorizes private property owners to eradicate wild hogs year-round in the county by any means necessary; prohibits the eradication of wild hogs using dogs during seasons designated for deer hunting. - Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 4, Part 1. by *Windle.

***House Bill No. 2605** -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, provides that an "under 21 driver license" expires one month after a licensee attains 21 years of age. - Amends TCA Title 55. by *Kane.

House Bill No. 2606 -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, reduces the amount of time from seven days to five days for when an employee may contest an offset of the employee's wages by an employer for money owed to the employer. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Coley.

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***House Bill No. 2607** -- Aircraft and Airports - As introduced, directs the commissioner of transportation, in consultation with the commissioner of safety, to petition the federal aviation administration for a certificate of authority to operate unmanned aerial systems within the navigable airspace of each of the grand divisions of the state. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 39; Title 42; Title 49; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 70. by *Sparks.

***House Bill No. 2608** -- Zoning - As introduced, increases, from five to nine, the maximum number of members who may be appointed to county and municipal boards of zoning appeals. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7. by *White D.

House Bill No. 2609 -- Education - As introduced, requires the annual report of the commissioner of education to include an evaluation of the alignment of the TCAP assessments with the curriculum standards as indicated by student test scores. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *White D.

House Bill No. 2610 -- Comptroller, State - As introduced, subjects the Tennessee intercollegiate state legislature foundation to examination and audit by the comptroller. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 20. by *White D.

House Bill No. 2611 -- Public Records - As introduced, clarifies that the visual and audio images of a person who is captured in a law enforcement officer's body camera are confidential if the person was not the subject of the officer's investigation, was in a lawful place, was not engaged in illegal activity, and had a reasonable expectation of privacy. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 38, Chapter 8. by *White D, *Durham.

***House Bill No. 2612** -- Education, Dept. of - As introduced, creates a competitive grant program for award of funds for certain charter school and rural school facility projects. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Moody, *Brooks H.

***House Bill No. 2613** -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the higher education funding formula to be based in part on first year postgraduation job placement rates; requires THEC to study the feasibility of students whose majors have extremely low Tennessee job placement rates becoming ineligible for state guaranteed student loans; creates a state lottery funded Skills for Tomorrow supplemental award for students in high demand fields with low supply of Tennessee qualified workers. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Moody, *Brooks H.

***House Bill No. 2614** -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, creates eligibility requirements for applicants to a teacher training program; requires applicants to attain a minimum ACT or GED score and a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or graduate with an associate degree with a cumulative grade point average of a 3.0 for all college coursework. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 56. by *Moody.

House Bill No. 2615 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Lactation Consultant Practice Act." - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Moody.

***House Bill No. 2616** -- Education - As introduced, requires an LEA to screen K-2 students for dyslexia with a program provided by the department of education; creates the

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dyslexia advisory council. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Pitts.

***House Bill No. 2617** -- Veterans - As introduced, requires the division of parks and recreation to designate one weekend per year, instead of one day per year, during which access to and use of all state parks is free of charge for veterans. - Amends TCA Title 58 and Title 71. by *Coley.

***House Bill No. 2618** -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, clarifies that a permit holder has a reasonable period of time to leave the area of an athletic event or school-related activity at a public park or other similar public area after being informed of or becoming aware of its use. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1311 and Section 39-17-1359. by *Holsclaw.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

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Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jenkins, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, White D., White M., Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 94

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On motion of Rep. McCormick, the House stood in recess until 5:00 p.m., Monday, January 25, 2016.